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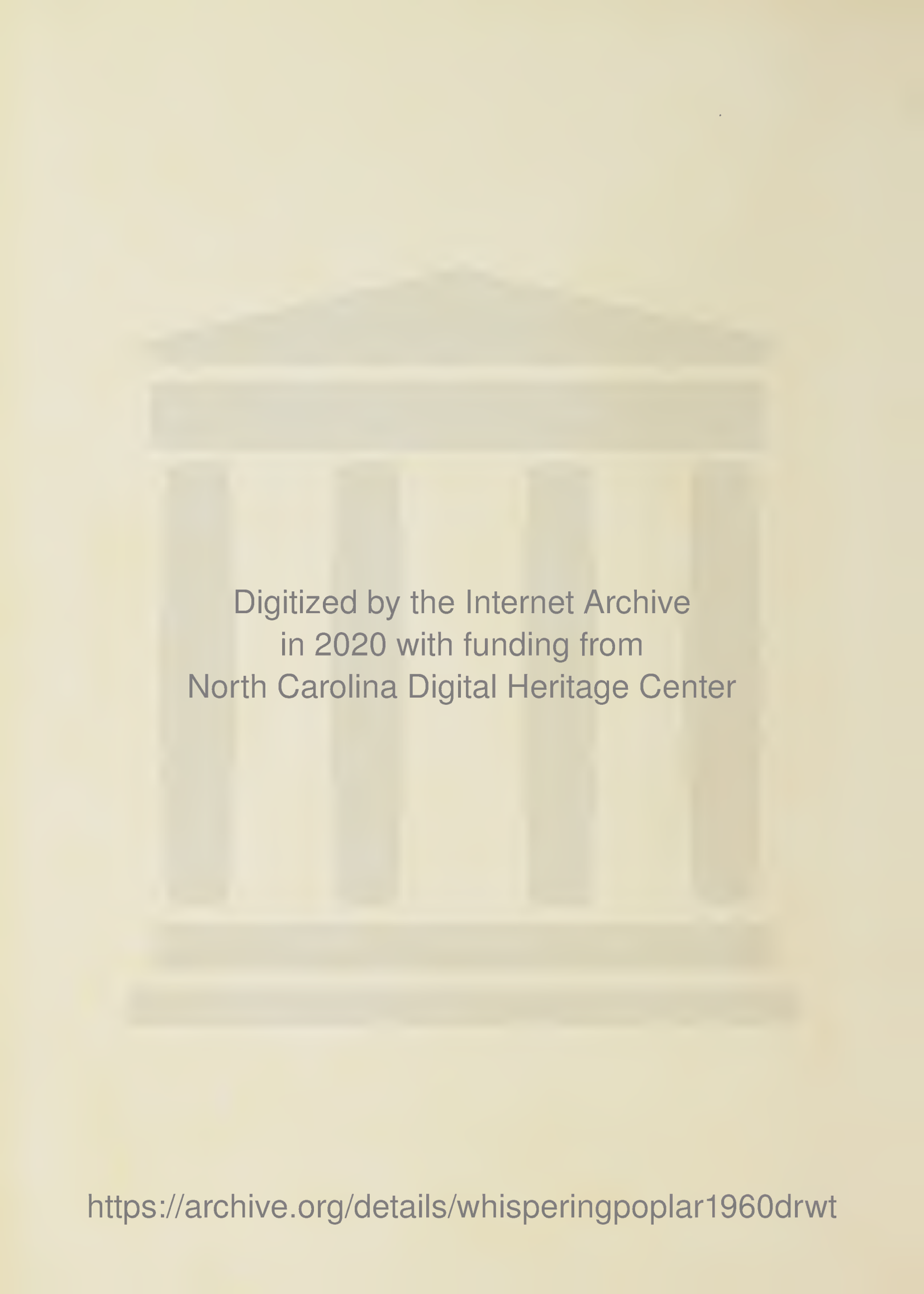
"You're the queen of our hearts,

Dear Griggs High School"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Senior Class

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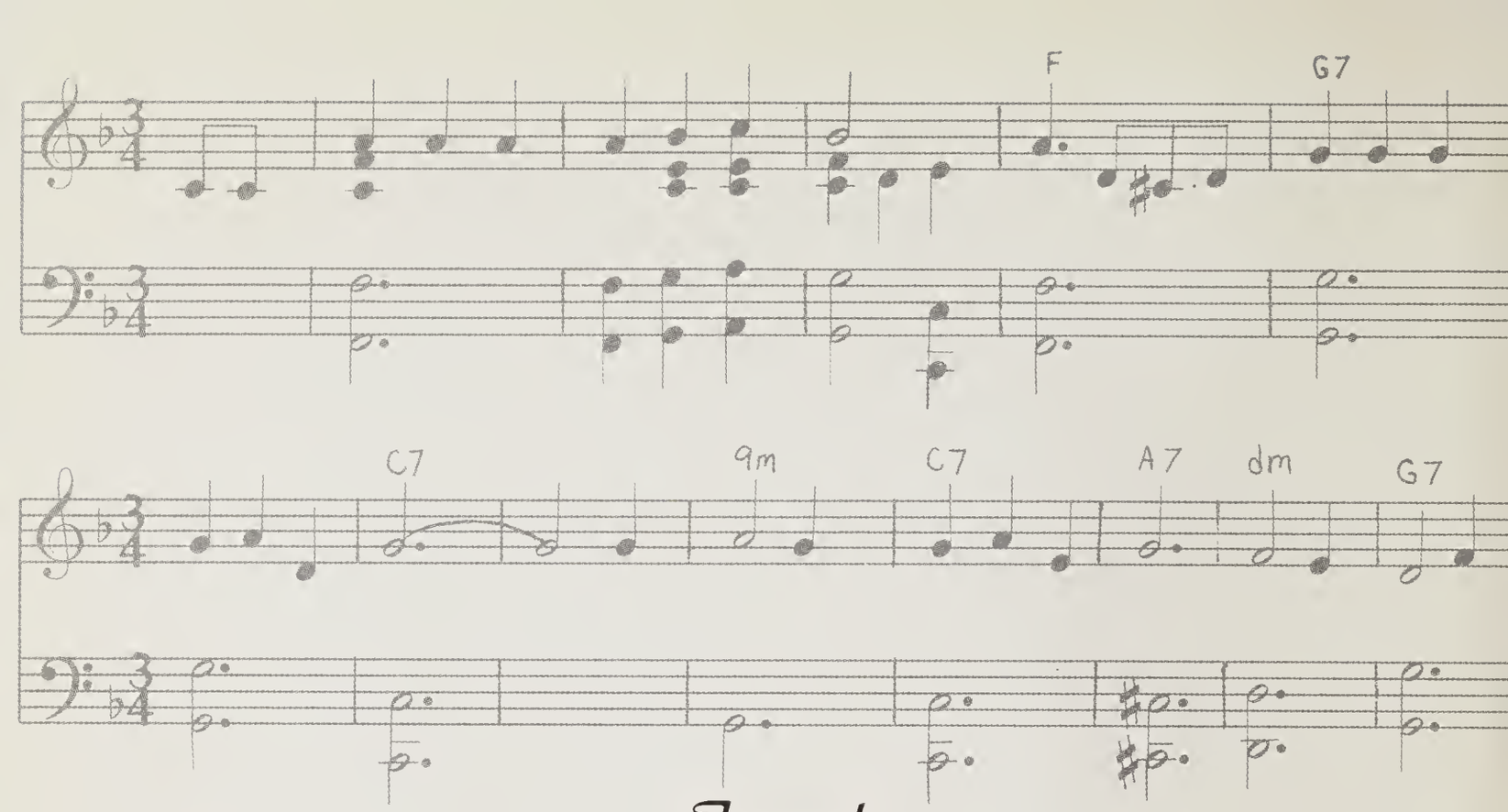
DR. W.T. GRIGGS HIGH SCHOOL

Popular Branch,

North Carolina

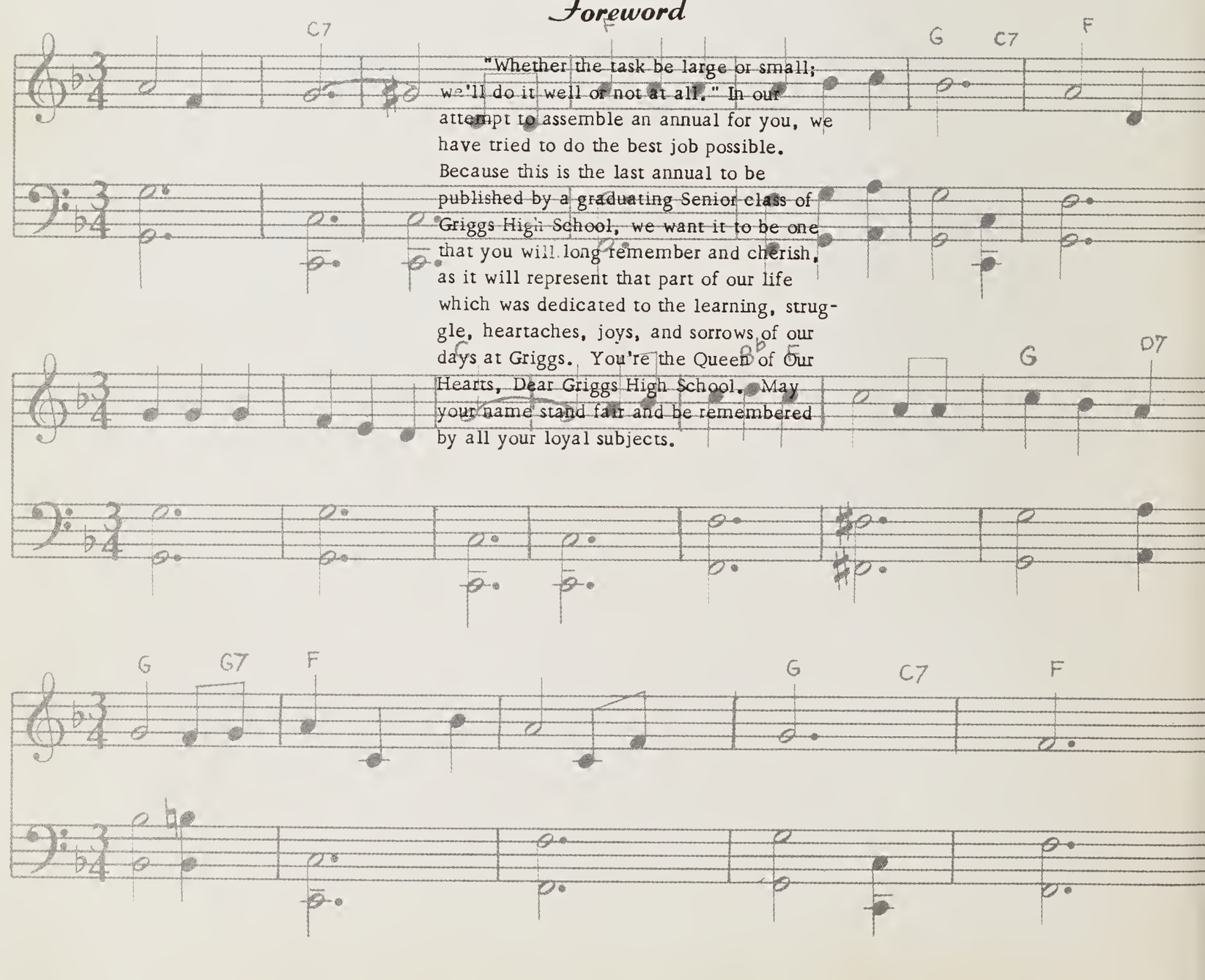
1960

You hold the place which none other can fill...



Foreword

"Whether the task be large or small; we'll do it well or not at all." In our attempt to assemble an annual for you, we have tried to do the best job possible. Because this is the last annual to be published by a graduating Senior class of Griggs High School, we want it to be one that you will long remember and cherish, as it will represent that part of our life which was dedicated to the learning, struggle, heartaches, joys, and sorrows of our days at Griggs. You're the Queen of Our Hearts, Dear Griggs High School. May your name stand fair and be remembered by all your loyal subjects.



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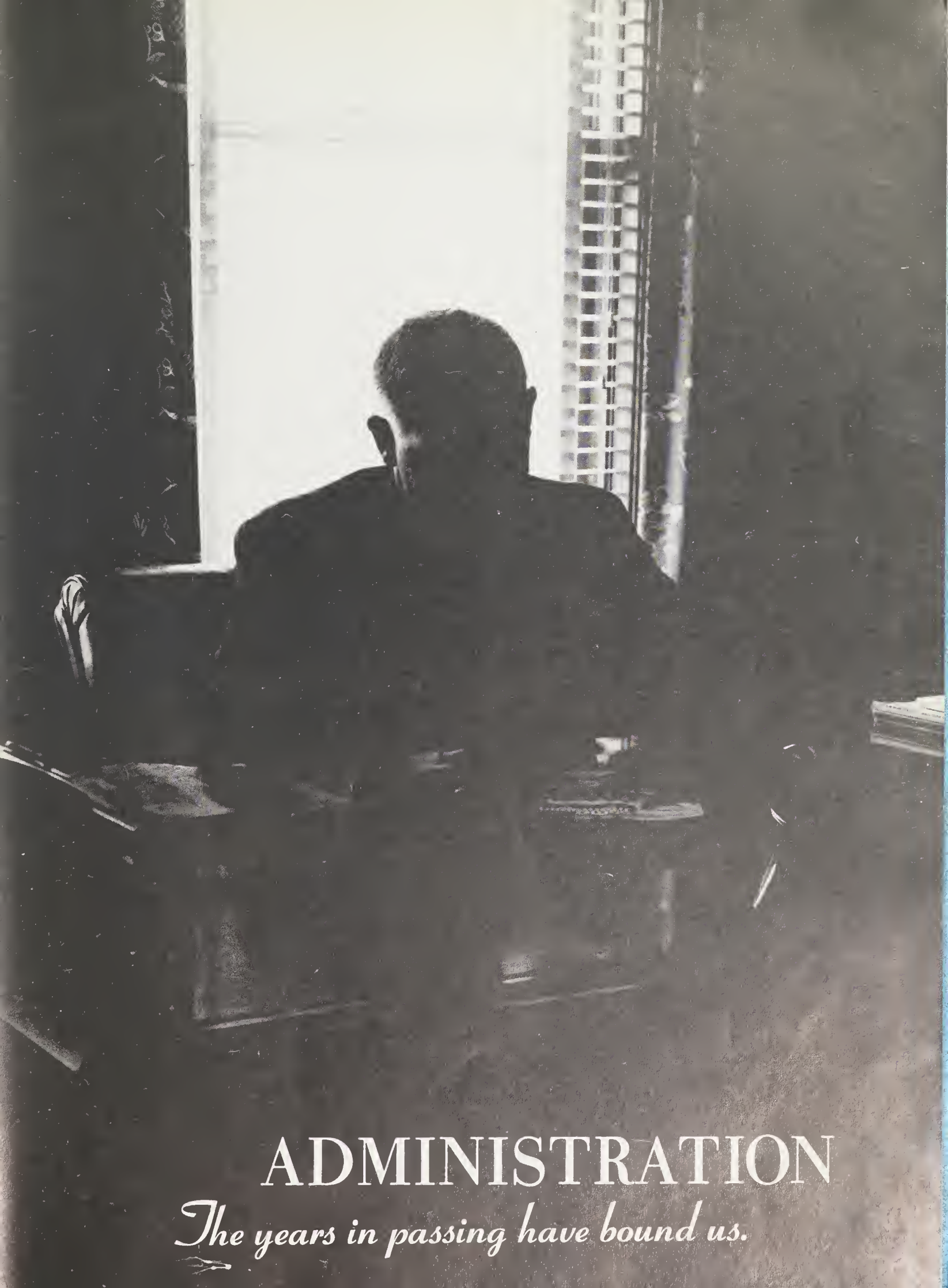
Dedication

She has shown endless effort, devotion, and steadfastness for the past thirty-four years to the students of Griggs High School.

She has gained the respect of the intelligent and the love of the innocent. She has continuously looked for the best in others and has given the best she has. Each G. H. S. student is aware of her numerous services to the school.

Because of generous nature and genuine interest in us, we enthusiastically dedicate this 1960 WHISPERING POPLARS to.....

Mrs. Billie Evans

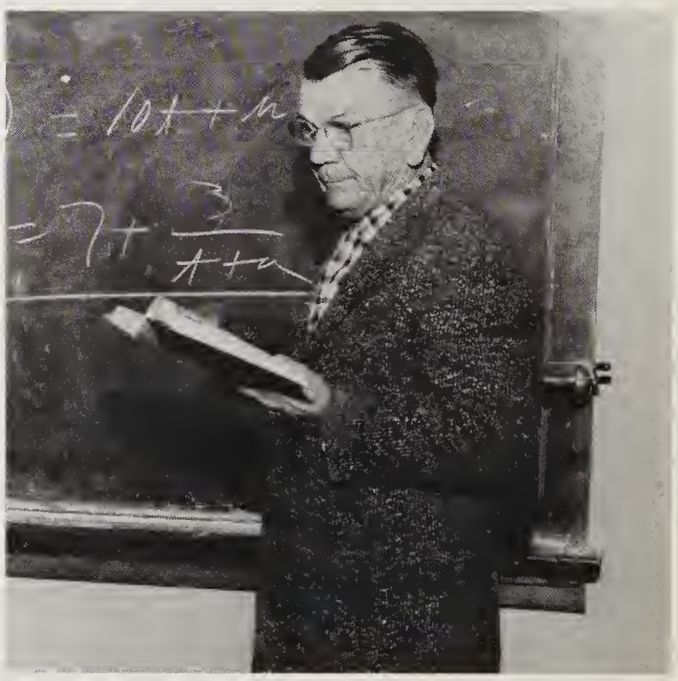


ADMINISTRATION

The years in passing have bound us.

Under the guidance of our principal, Mr. Isaac Williams, we have continued to advance toward our goal of a better education. Mrs. Mary Forbes, our school secretary, has given us much of her time, energy, and self.

Mr. Bill Wilkerson
Science-Health-Physical Education



Mr. Ira Long
Physics-Mathematics

Mrs. Harriet James
Commerce

Mrs. Ramona Wilson
Home Economics

Mr. Walter Woodard
Agriculture

Mrs. Iris Womble
English-Sociology

Mrs. Nancy Blades
Glee Club-French

Mr. Edward Sample
Band

Teacherage - The home of our faculty.

Cafeteria - "Did someone say food?"

Agriculture Building
Boys learn all
things here.

CLASSES

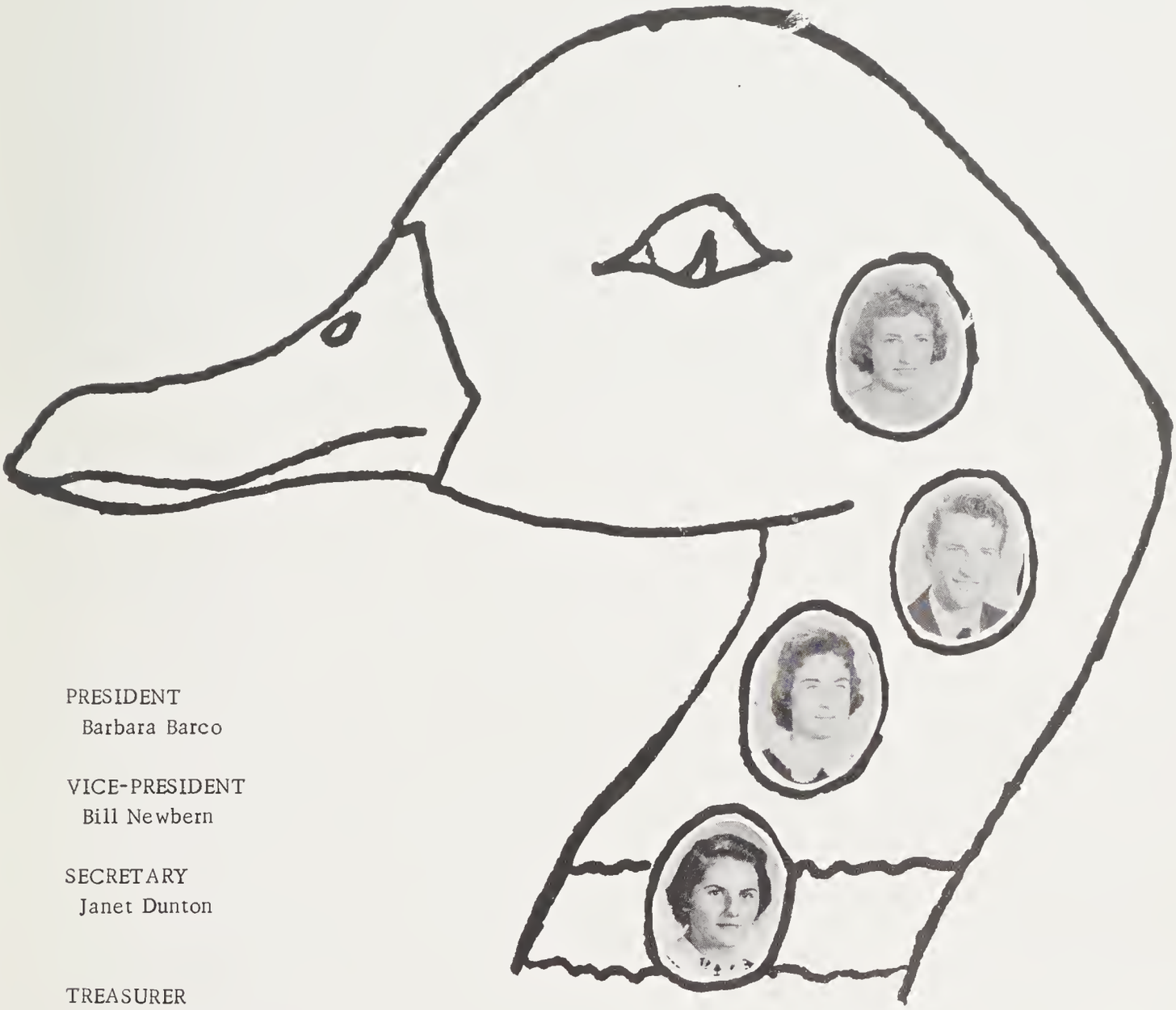
And bind us closer still - - -

SENIORS

Seniors

COLORS:
Blue and White

FLOWER:
Red Rose



PRESIDENT
Barbara Barco

VICE-PRESIDENT
Bill Newbern

SECRETARY
Janet Dunton

TREASURER
Elsie Griggs

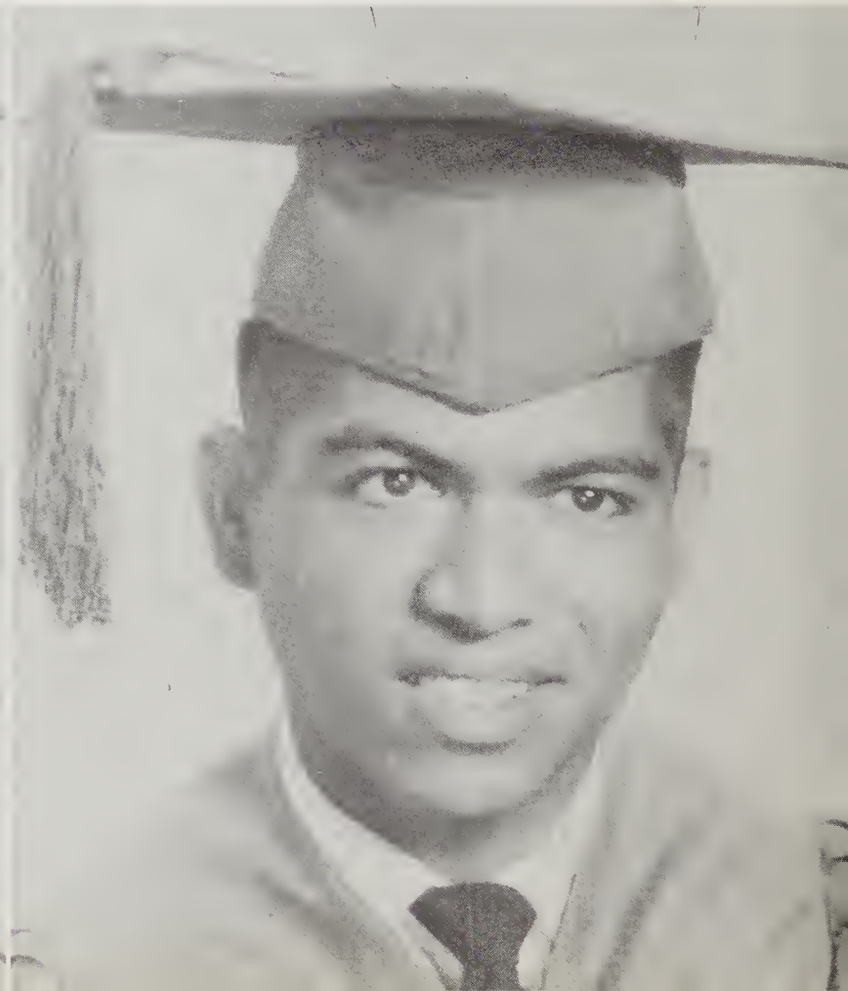
MOTTO:
"Whether the task be large or small; we'll do it well or not at all."

MARK RANDOLPH AYDLETT "Mark"
"It's not what you do; it's what you're caught doing."

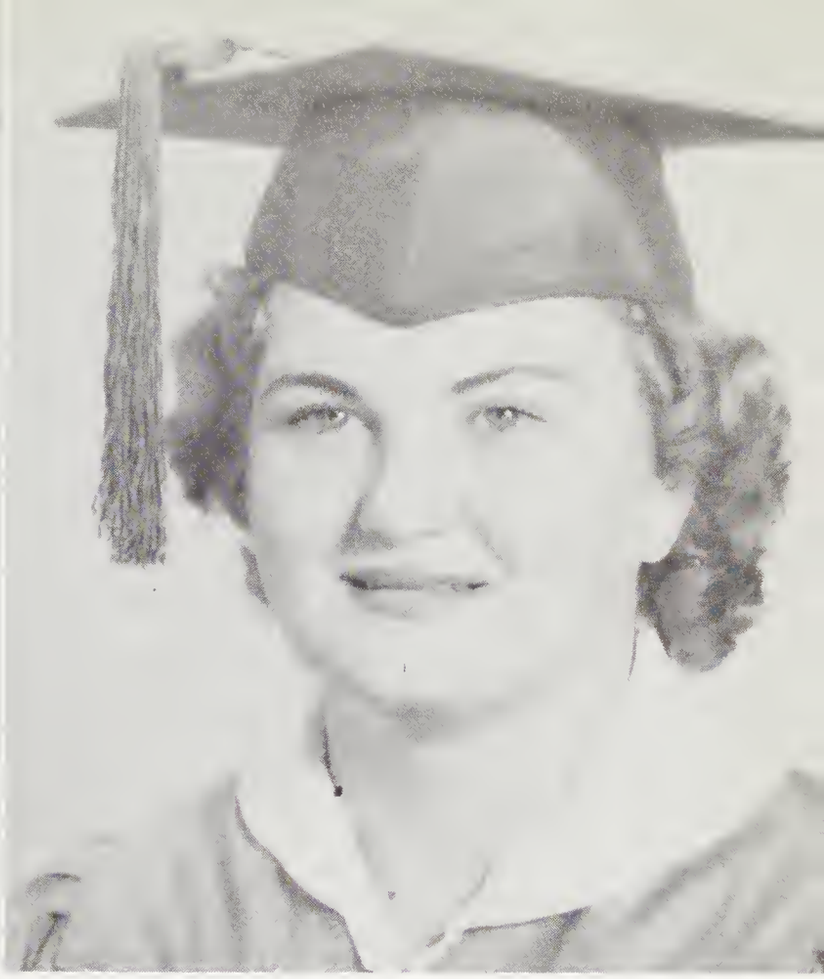
BARBARA GAYE BARCO "Barbara"
"Well, I did know, but I forgot."

NATHAN ALTON CAROON "Bud"
"I do love. I know not what."

FLORENCIO ANTHONY CASIANO "Fred"
"The world would be mine if I just had time to take care of it."



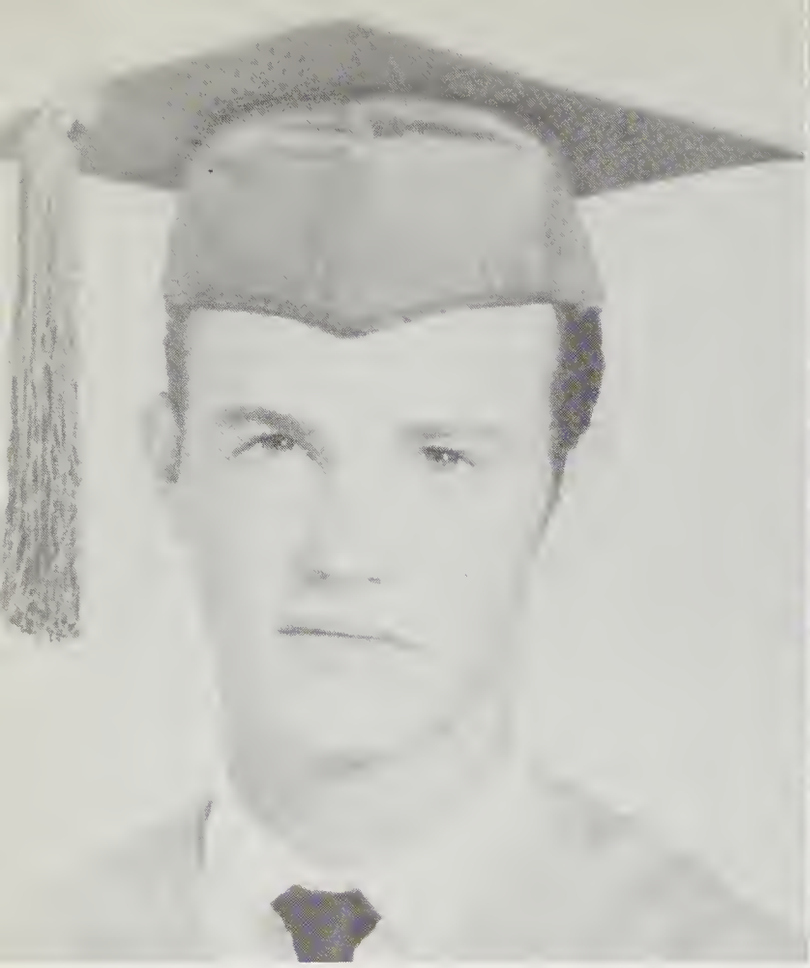
SAMUEL THEODORE CHAPPELL "Sam"
"Patience, a virtue--
Patience, a death to one's ego."



MARVIS JOAN DAVIS "Marvis"
"When we are dead it is for a long time."
Desaugiers

DORIS PRICILLA DOZIER "Pricilla"
"Tomorrow will be a new day."

JANET ANITA DUNTON "Janet"
"A friend is a person with whom I may be sincere and think aloud."



RICHARD ALEXANDER DUNTON, JR. "Richard"
"Whatever you do, do wisely, and think
of the consequences." Romanorum

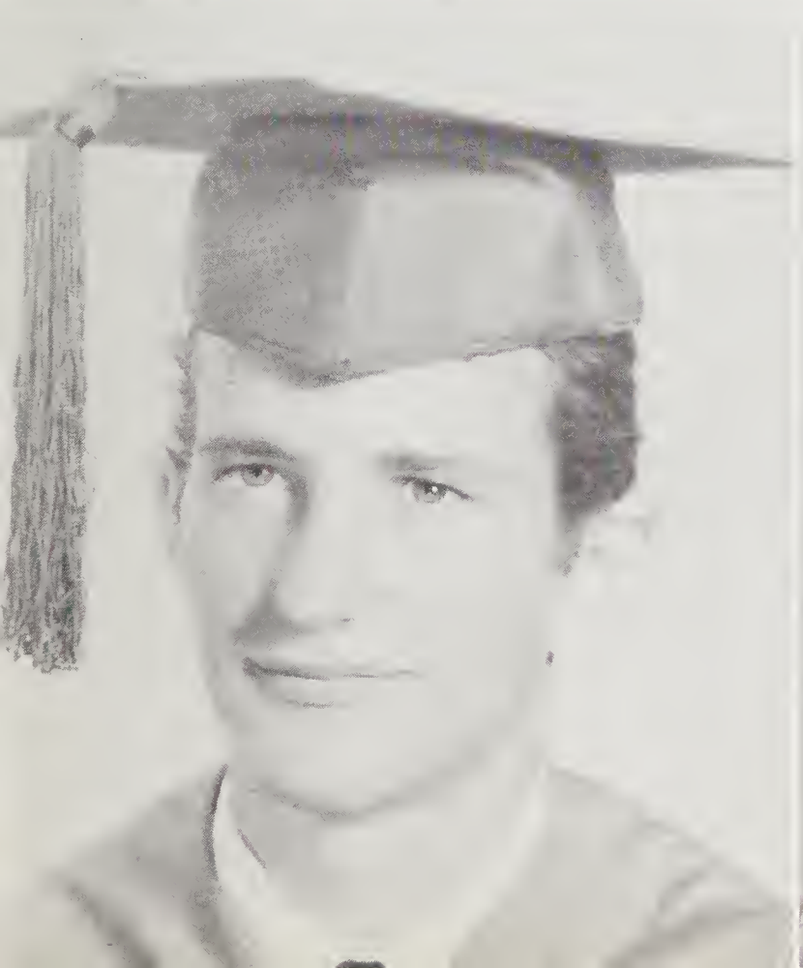
MARGARET ANN GRANDY "Margaret"
"Manner, not gold, is woman's best
adornment." Menenair

ELSIE DALLAS GRIGGS "Elsie"
"Walk softly, but carry a big stick."
Theodore Roosevelt

CAROL HAMPTON KEATON "Carol"
"Peace is happiness digested."
Hugo

EDDIE TROY LANE "Troy"
"Better a bad excuse than none at all."

CAMILLA ANN MENZACO "Camilla"
"I only know what I read in the newspapers." Will Rogers



WILLIAM OLDS NEWBERN "Bill"
"My wants are many, and, if told, would muster many a score." John Adams

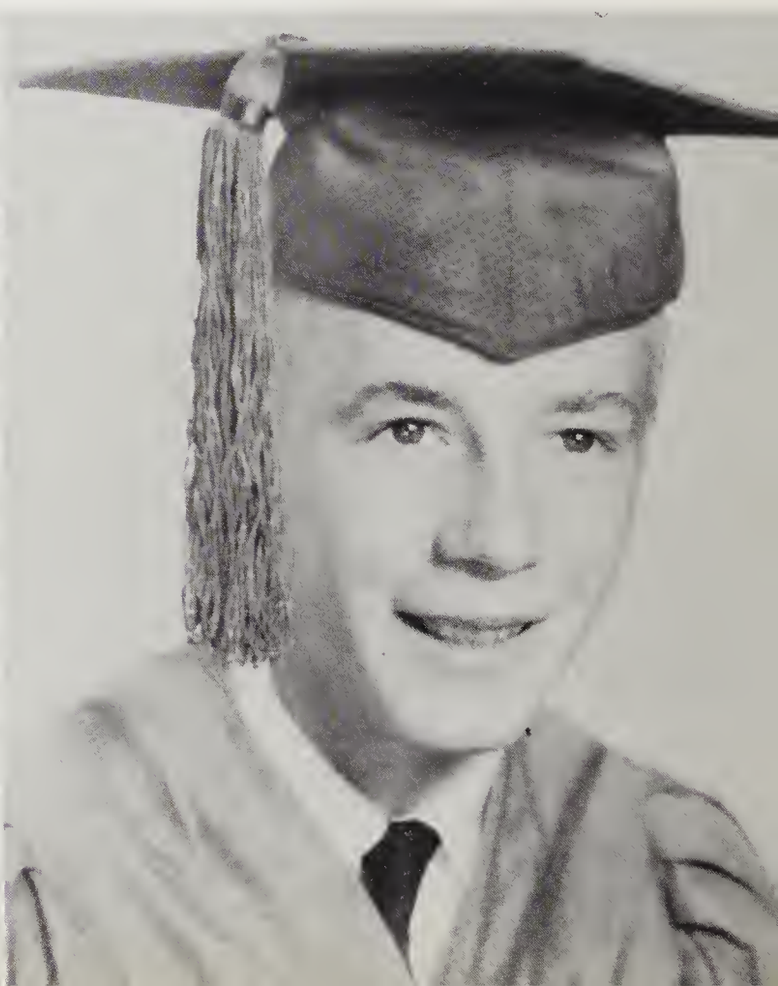
FANNIE HUGHES NEWBERN "Fannie"
"Wherefore art thou, Romeo?"
Shakespeare

CALVIN IRVIN OWENS "Calvin"
"It takes a wise man to discover a wise man." St. Benedict

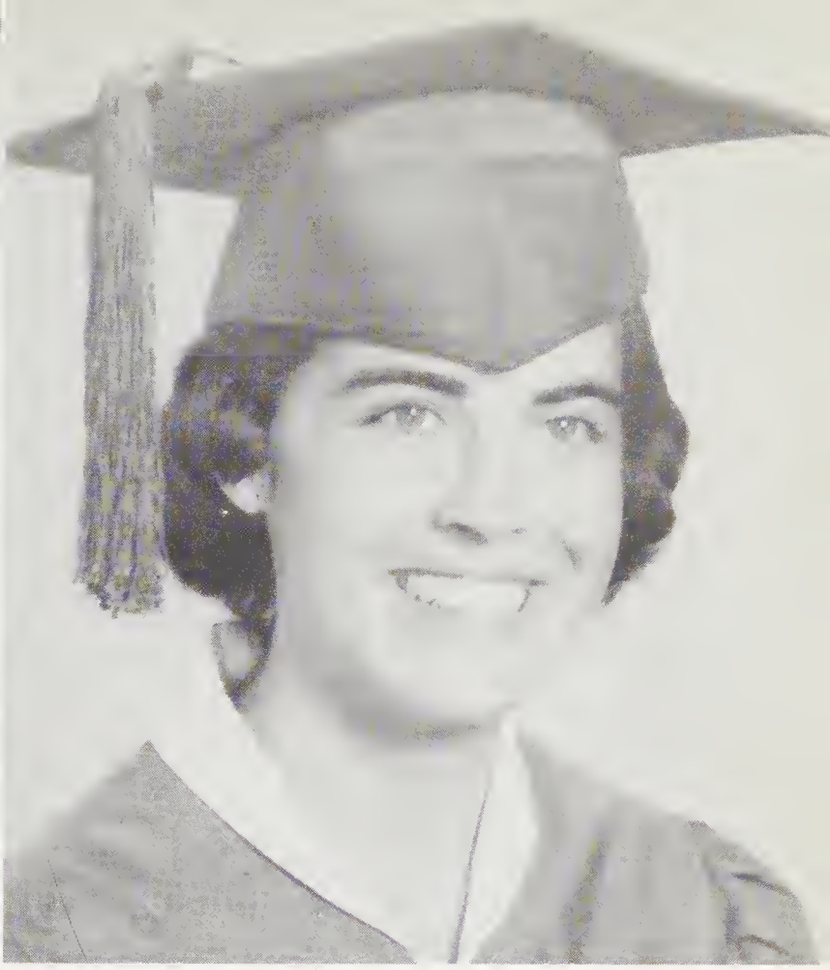
DORIS JEAN PARKER "Doris"
"Life is too short to worry, so live it up now."

AGNES VIRGINIA PERRY "Virginia"
"If the end be well, all is well." Dumas

LOUIS ALTON POYNER, JR. "Louis"
"I do not choose to run for President this year."



PENELOPE ANN SAUNDERS "Penny"
"A close mouth catches no flies."
Cervantes



ALMA LEE SAWYER "Alma"
"Without music, life would be a mistake." Nietzache

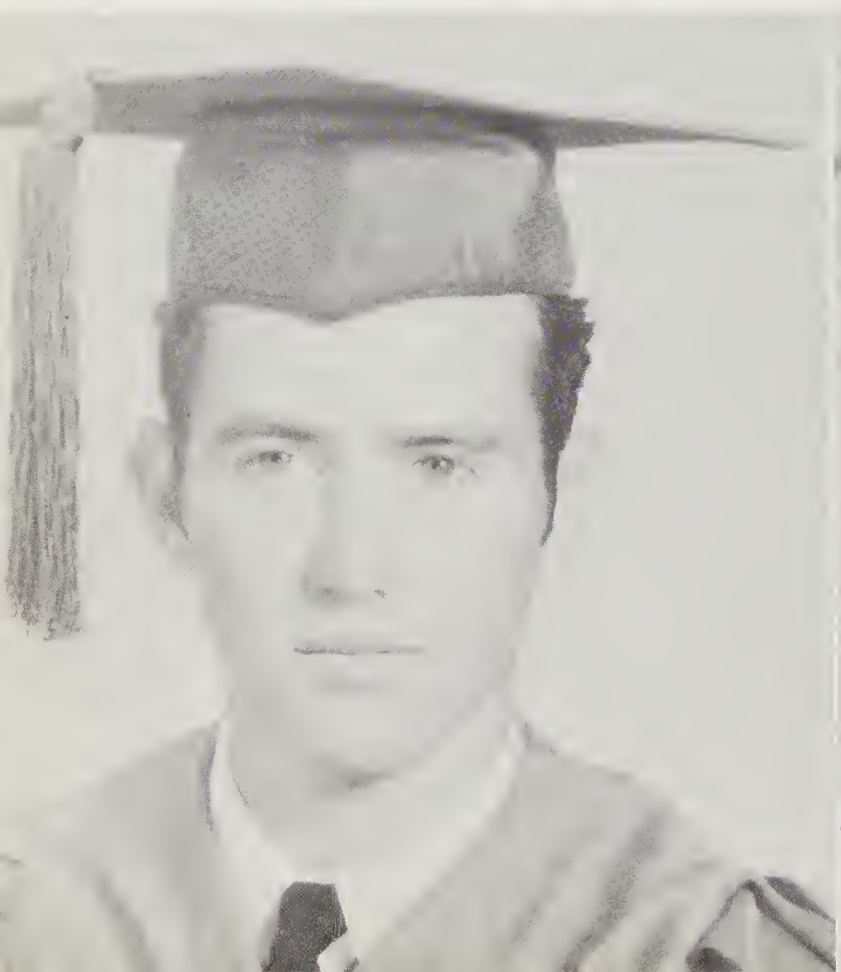
ANITA LOUISE SAWYER "Anita"
"Live fast, love hard, die young and leave a good-looking corpse."

FOSTER KEN SPRUILL "Foster"
"Each man has his own desires."

GLORIA VIRGINIA SUTTON "Virginia"
"It is better to be faithful than famous."

MARGARET ALLINE TWIFORD "Alline"
"Patience is the best remedy for every trouble." Plautus

WALLACE RANDOLPH TWIFORD "Wallace"
"Let the world slide; I'll not budge an inch."



RAYMOND EARL WORLEY "Raymond"
I do the difficult now, the impossible will take a little longer."

Mrs. Norma Barco

Mrs. Ida Lee Saunders

Mrs. Virginia Menzaco

Grademothers

Mrs. Mozelle Griggs

Mrs. Doris Dozier

Mascots

Kathy Simpson

Tony Sample

Around G.H.S. in 180 Days

8th Grade trip to Raleigh.

Selling Ads???????????????

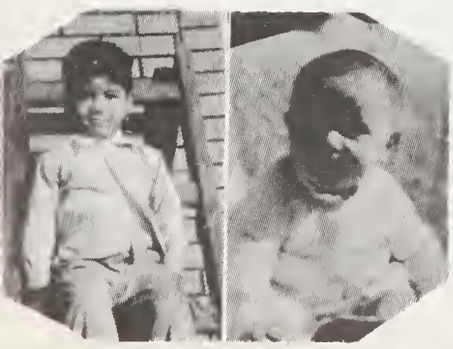
Don't stab-just pin!!

Take her away, boys.

Smoke it, Calvin.

Look, look, everybody!

Geniuses at work.....



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Mark Aydlett--Library Club 3,4; 4-H 1; F.F.A. 1,2,3; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Superlative 4.

Barbara Barco--French Club 2,3; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Library Club 2,3; Beta Club 2,3,4; F.H. A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Superlative 4; 4-H County Council Vice-President 3; Vice-President Class 3; President Class 4.

Nathan Caroon--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; French Club 2,3; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.F.A. 2,3; Superlative 4; President Class 2; Band 2,3.

Fred Casiano--ROTC Drill Team 1,2; Football 4; Baseball 1,2,4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 4.

Sam Chappell--Library Club 3,4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Football 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,4; F.F.A. 1,2; 4-H 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Play 3; Superlative 4.

Marvis Davis--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Superlative 4; Play 3; QUACKER Staff 3,4; F. H. S. 1,2; Pep Club 4; Class Officers 1,2.

Priscilla Dozier--Superlative 4; Glee Club 2,3; Beta Club 3,4; F.H. A. 3,4; Basketball Manager 3; QUACKER Staff 3,4.

Janet Dunton--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Annual Staff 4; QUACKER Staff 3.4; Library Club 3; Class Officer 3,4; Co-Captain Basketball Team 4.

Richard Dunton--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 2,3; 4-H Club 1; Beta Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3; F.F.A. 1,2; Basketball 2,3,4; Band 3; Superlative 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Play 3.

Margaret Grandy--Glee Club 1,2; 4-H Club 1; F.H.A. 2; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Basketball 3,4; Library Club 3; Superlative 4.

Elsie Griggs--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; French Club 2,3; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Superlative 4; Home Coming Queen 3; President Class 3; Treasurer Class 2,3; Secretary Class 1; Library Club 2,3,4; Co-Captain Basketball Team 4; Class Play 3.

Carol Keaton--Beta Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3; F.H.A. 1,2,3; QUACKER Staff 2,3; Superlative 4; Play 3; Class Officer 1,2; Pep Club 4.

Troy Lane--4-H Club 3; F.F.A. 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Superlative 4; Play 3; Manager of Basketball Team 3; Captain of Band 3,4.

Camilla Menzaco--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2; Cheerleader 1,2; Beta Club 2,3,4; French Club 2,3; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Class Favorite 1; Superlative 4.

Bill Newbern--Glee Club 4; Superlative 4; Class Officer 3,4; Play 3; 4-H 3,4; Track 1; F.F.A. 2; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 4; Homecoming King 2; QUACKER Staff 3,4.

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Fannie Newbern--Superlative 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Pep Club 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Library Club 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

Calvin Owens--QUACKER Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Library Club 2,3; F.F.A. 1,2; Superlative 4; Class Favorite 1; Vice-President Class Officer 2; Play 3.

Doris Parker--Glee Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3,4; Superlative 4; Pep Club 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3; QUACKER Staff 3,4.

Virginia Perry--Beta Club 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2; Annual Staff 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Library Club 2,3; Superlative 4.

Louis Poyner--Library Club 3,4; 4-H Club 1; F.F.A. 1,2,3; QUACKER Staff 4; Superlative 4; Basketball 3,4.

Penelope Saunders--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1; Library Club 2,3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Superlative 4.

Alma Sawyer--Glee Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 2,3; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Beta Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 3, 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Class Officer 1,2,3; County Officer for 4-H 3; Superlative 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Band 1,2.

Anita Sawyer--Glee Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3; F.H.A. 1,2; Pep Club 4; Annual Staff 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Superlative 4; Play 3.

Foster Spruill--Basketball 3,4; Baseball 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Homecoming King 3; Superlative 4; 4-H 1.

Virginia Sutton--Superlative 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3; Basketball 2; Pep Club 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Class Officer 4.

Alline Twiford--Glee Club 2,3; 4-H 1; Library Club 3,4; Superlative 4; Annual Staff 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Pep Club 4; F.H.A. 1,2.

Wallace Twiford--Superlative 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3; Library Club 3,4; 4-H Club 1; Basketball 4.

Raymond Worley--Beta Club 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2; Basketball 3,4; Football 4; QUACKER Staff 3,4; Superlative 4; Class Officer 1.

Last Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of Dr. W.T.Griggs High School, in the County of Currituck, in the state of North Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing memory and realizing the uncertainty of the length of life, and the certainty of death, do make, publish, and declare the following as our last will and testament.

ARTICLE I:

First, we, the class of 1960, bequeath to the faculty of Dr. W.T.Griggs High School our best wishes for a better and brighter future.

ARTICLE II:

To the well deserving class of 1961, we, the class of 1960, leave our reputation as "Dignified Seniors."

ARTICLE III:

Individuals hereby bequeath the following:

I, Mark Aydlett, leave my sunny smile to James Perry.
I, Barbara Barco, leave my pencils to whoever borrowed them.
I, Nathan Caroon, leave my art ability to Billy Lane.
I, Fred Casiano, leave my dignity to Fred Hampton.
I, Sam Chappell, leave my debating ability to Jibbie Doughtie.
I, Marvis Davis, leave my rinse capsules to Margie Griggs.
I, Priscilla Dozier, leave my neat ways to Ann Brickhouse.
I, Janet Dunton, leave my good manners to Gwen Dowdy.
I, Richard Dunton, leave my bookkeeping ability to Sonny Pyatt.
I, Margaret Grandy, leave my bench-warmer position to Julie Forbes.
I, Elsie Griggs, leave my friendliness to Margaret Newbern.
I, Carol Keaton, leave my ability to get a husband to Ann Melson.
I, Troy Lane, leave my ducktail haircut to Tommy Bulter.
I, Camilla Menzaco, leave my black hair to Nancy Tysor.
I, Bill Newbern, leave my athletic ability to Jimmy Sawyer.
I, Fannie Newbern, leave my extra pounds to Sylvia Bratten.
I, Calvin Owens, leave my mathematical ability to Don Thomas.
I, Doris Parker, leave my witty ways to June Outland.
I, Virginia Perry, leave my typing ability to Sammy Smith.
I, Louis Poyner, leave my English book to anyone who wants it.
I, Penelope Saunders, leave my basketball ability to Joyce Sawyer.
I, Alma Sawyer, leave my industriousness to Molly Griggs.
I, Anita Sawyer, leave my figure to Portia Mercer.
I, Foster Spruill, leave my quiet ways to George McLean.
I, Virginia Sutton, leave my naturally curly hair to Betty Gregory.
I, Alline Twiford, leave my ability to get engaged to Ellen Dowdy.
I, Wallace Twiford, leave my smart remarks to Tommy Caroon.
I, Raymond Worley, leave my laziness to Johnny Cahoon.

In Witness, Wherefore, the Class of 1960, the testator, have set our hands and seals hereto this second day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

Testator: Camilla Menzaco

Prophecy

I am the voice of the prophet of the Senior Class of 1960. I invite you to come with me on an adventurous trip through time. Come with me on a visit into the future of the lives of the Seniors of 1960.

As we walk along the winding, twisting road of time, we pass a small, white, vine-covered cottage. We look into the yard and see PENNY and Albert, contentedly swinging in the front porch swing and watching over their start for a basketball team of their own. (little Penny and Albert Jr.)

Next, we go on a hike up Aydlett's Hill to visit with ALLINE and Chris Aydlett. The maid tells us that they aren't home. It seems that Alline has talked Chris into taking her on a cruise on one of their three new yachts.

Having failed in our effort to see Alline, we hail in Coinjock City bus and head for the estate of LOUIS POYNER, Esquire. It seems that Louis now owns a great portion of Waterlily. He and Pam spend most of their time raising ducks and little Poyners.

On our way back to Coinjock City, we stop in on CAROL and Graham Keaton. They are starting to save their second million from the Yacht Club they are running.

While strolling down the main street of Coinjock City, we happen to pass by North Carolina's most modern store. It goes by the name of Worley's Gyp Joint. RAYMOND is making a killing from it.

Just on the outskirts of the city, we come to Aydlett's Chicken Farm. MARK and Lucille specialize in three-legged chickens for people who like drum sticks.

On down the road a piece, we come to a country diner. It is run by WALLACE TWIFORD. It seems that out of some sort of resentment, he has named the specialty of the house "Barbecued Teachers".

Then we come to a dress shop owned and operated by PRICILLA DOZIER, one of America's best-dressed women. Her slogan is, "Our clothes will fit as tight as skin, you don't put them on, we pour you in".

Farther on, we come to FOSTER SPRUILL's Boat and Ship Works. His slogan is "If you don't want your husband to ride in a boat, buy him one of ours, it will not float.".

Then we pass the office of SAM CHAPPELL. He is reputed to be the world's best arguing and debating lawyer.

Look who we are passing on the street now. It is ELSIE, wearing all her diamonds and walking her two French Poodles. She became a private secretary and married the boss. (the rich Skipper Hollowell)

We take time out to look at the new flaming red Corvettes in the showroom of TROY LANE's Corvette Castle.

Prophecy Continued

What is this lying on the ground? Why, it's an advertisement publicizing NATHAN CAROON's Famous Artistic Paint Shop. He's just discovered a new use for blood. Now he is painting the town red.

VIRGINIA SUTTON and MARGARET GRANDY are the head nurses in the modern Coinjock General Hospital we see over there. Virginia spends most of her time caring for Don, and Margaret passes time by taking a baseball bat and going out to drum up some business.

Notice the bright lights out in front of the New Beatnik Club. ANITA and MARVIS are joint owners. They are both trying to grow beards.

We are now passing the new Coinjock Television Station. From within comes the voice of the world's newest and greatest singing sensation. It is ALMA SAWYER singing, "Preacher, May I Take This One Home With Me". She is living with her fourth husband at present.

DORIS and Frank Cartwright now own their own banana plantation in Florida.

JANET and BILL are coaching the Coinjock City basketball team. They haven't lost a game in five years.

FANNIE is now in the first grade; teaching, that is.

Overhead, we see Admiral FRED CASIONO'S private jet buzzing Kay's house.

BARBARA and her husband are both professors at a well-known college. They are raising five little geniuses.

RICHARD is happily married to Brigitte Bardot and is making good use of his high school French as a Good Will Ambassador to France.

CAMILLA is starring at Menzaco Theater. She is Hollywood's brightest star.

VIRGINIA PERRY is doing well. She is secretary to the President of the United States, CALVIN OWENS.

Now, I grow weary from our tiresome journey through time. I leave you that you may return to the present, and I may rest.

Prophet:
Nathan Caroon

Class History

It all goes back to when we first entered Dr. W. T. Griggs High School. We were those innocent thirty nine brats who gave the teachers a tough time, but only because we envied them. We were greatly helped by our first grade teacher, Mrs. Gladys Fisher. She taught us our a-b-c's and how to read. We started off with a bang because Sam Chappell got a whipping almost every day.

Upon entering the fourth grade, we continued our education and became meaner by the day. We gave Mrs. Simpson a hard time and ended up standing in the hall every time we did something wrong.

As we entered the fifth grade we remember Mrs. Carrie Walker very well-and her history lessons. She really took us through the battles of the U. S. We began to elect class officers and had our first class meetings. We started paying dues that year to build up our class treasury.

We entered the sixth grade with an exciting mishap. Calvin Owens broke his arm!

Mr. James was our seventh grade teacher, also our first male teacher, and were we scared. We are not quite sure whether he broke us or we broke him. At least we learned to dance.

The high-light of our eighth year was raising enough money to go to Raleigh. We gave our first turkey supper that year.

In the year of 1956 we ventured cautiously into high school, where we met different teachers, changed classes, and were afraid for the first six weeks. While we were in the ninth grade we decided then and there that we would save our money to help us give a Junior & Senior Prom and take a Senior trip.

In 1957 we were sophomores and felt easier about being in high school. We gave a supper, a sock hop, and sponsored a spring hop in which we had a King and Queen of spring. We were blessed with Sonny, Louis and Bill which made up a team. We practically took over the Beta Club for the next three years and were honored to be in it. Mrs. James helped us greatly that year in achieving our goal.

In 1958 we became juniors and had many things to look forward to. We had several moneymaking projects. We were overjoyed the day we got our class rings. We presented our first play, "Happy Daze," under the direction of Mrs. Wilson. She helped us give the Junior & Senior Prom which we thought was the best prom yet.

In 1959-60 we are "Dignified Seniors", and we think we are happy that we are completing our last year. We hope we have gained as much knowledge and wisdom as we should and have tried to do our best. We have done some interesting things this year. We sold magazines, sold ads for the annual which we worked so hard on, plus making plans toward our graduation.

Historian:
Richard Dunton

Superlatives

Best All-Around-Foster and Elsie
"Blessed are they who go around in circles,
for they shall be called wheels."

Most Talented-Alma and Nathan
"The natives are restless tonight."

Most Likely to Succeed-Camilla and Calvin
"Up, up and away."

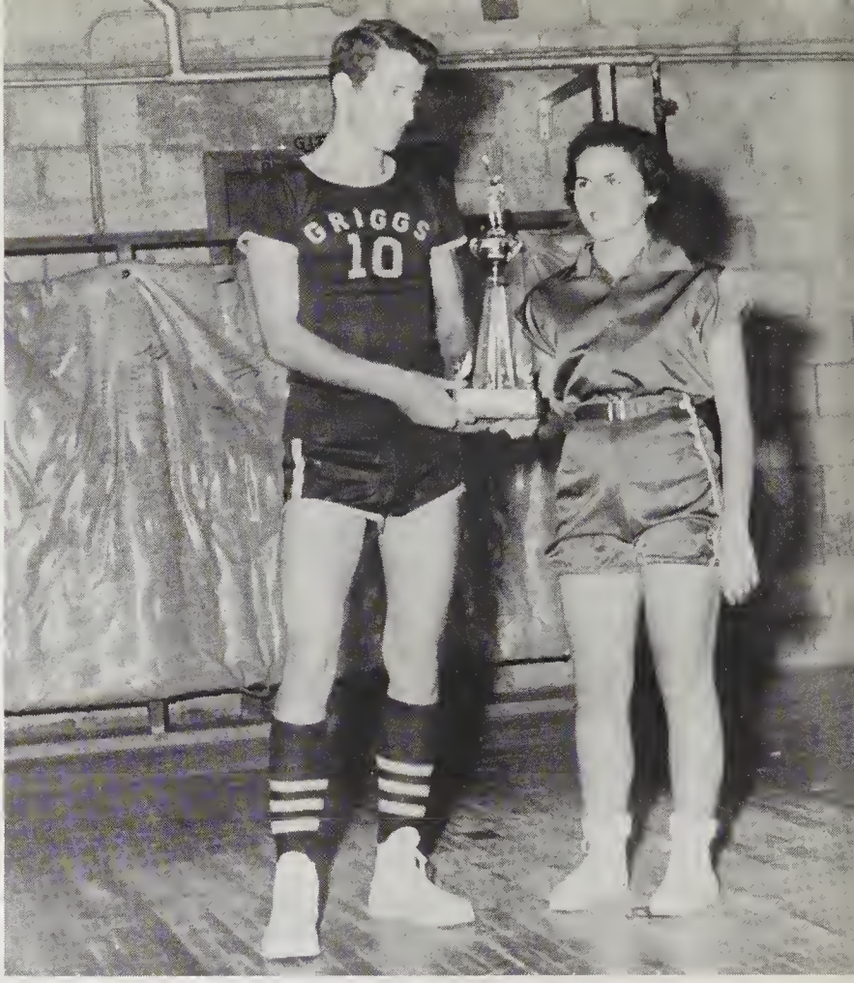
Best Personality-Bill and Virginia
"Personality plus."

Best Citizens-Alline and Raymond
"Just helping out."

Most Thoughtful-Carol and Wallace
"Sir Walter to the rescue."

Wittiest-Doris and Marvis
"William Tell."

Friendliest-Margaret and Louis
"Hello! Stuck up."



Most Athletic-Bill and Janet
"What a trophy!"

Most Intellectual-Sam and Barbara
"Now, this is a dictionary."

Best Sports-Fred and Fannie
"Is this right, Fred."

Most Industrious-Calvin and Alma
"This looks like fun."

Neatest-Penny and Richard
"Now, that looks nice."

Most Dependable-Mark and Virginia
"Mark, did you rob a bank?"

Cutest-Foster and Anita
"See Spot jump."

Best Dressed-Troy and Pricilla
"Slick as a mirror!"

Historian-Richard Dunton; Giftorian-Alma Sawyer; Testator-Camilla Menzaco; Prophet-Nathan Caroon. "Hear no evil; do no evil; speak no evil; see no evil."

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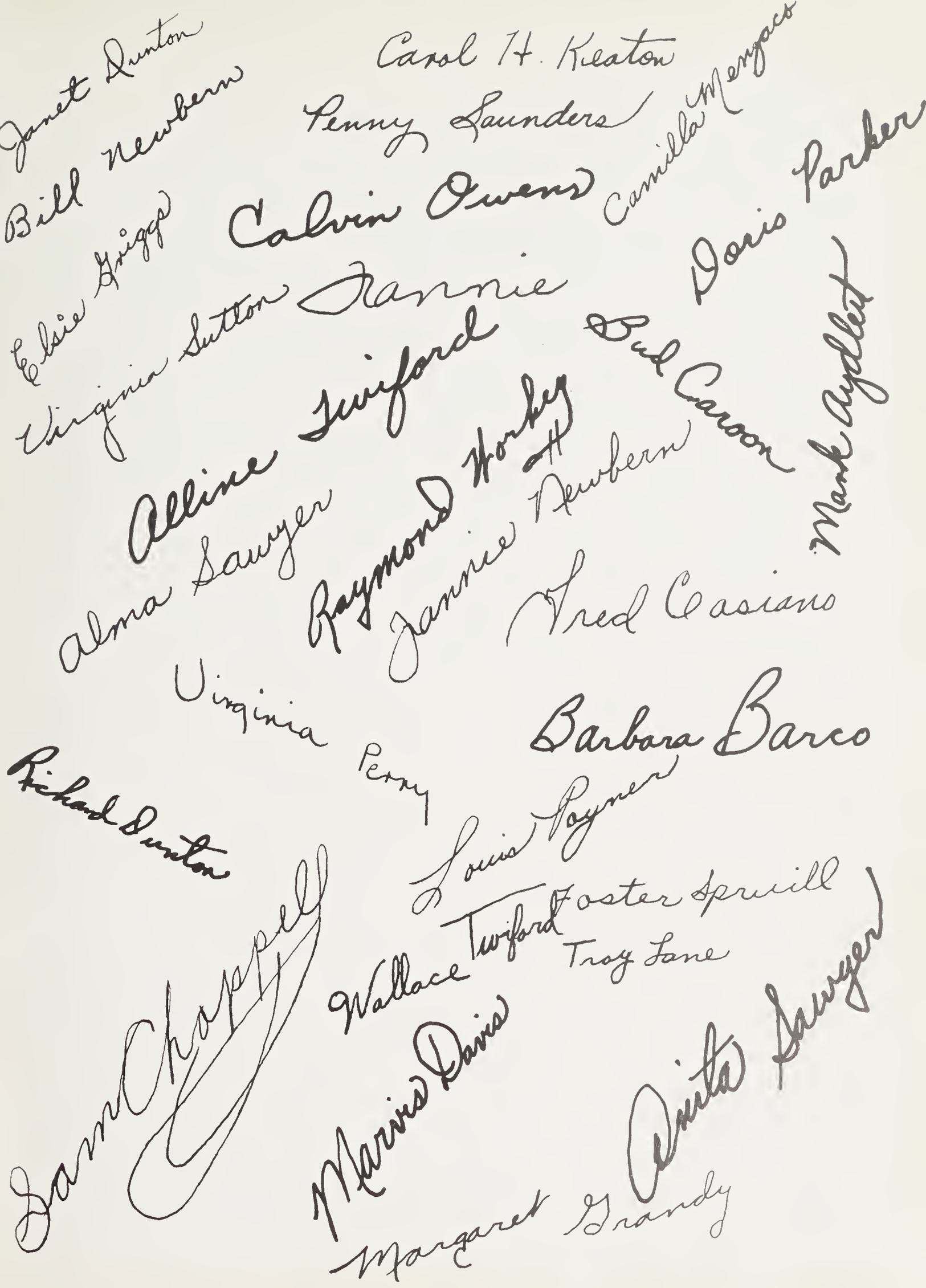
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Carol H. Keaton
Penny Saunders
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Calvin Owens
Camilla Morgan
Virginia Sutton
Jannie
Doris Parker
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Earl Carson
Alma Sawyer
Raymond Horsley II
Mark Aydlett
Jannie Newberry
Fred Casiano
Virginia Perry
Barbara Barco
Richard Sinton
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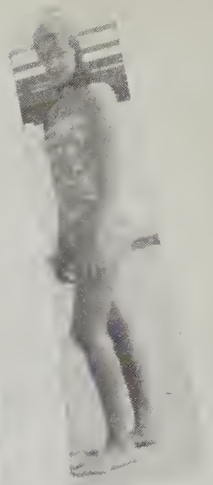
Margaret Grandy

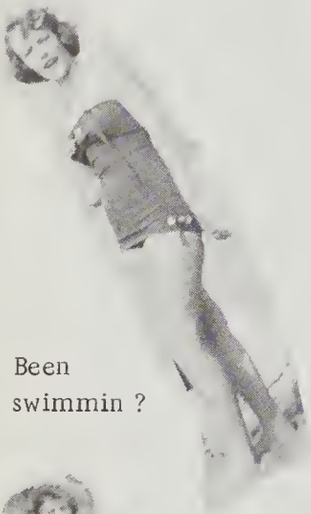
Relaxing!

Jolly Juniors

Down South.



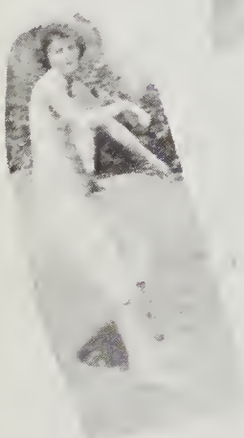
My head's on the pier.



Been swimmin ?

Toes---Toes

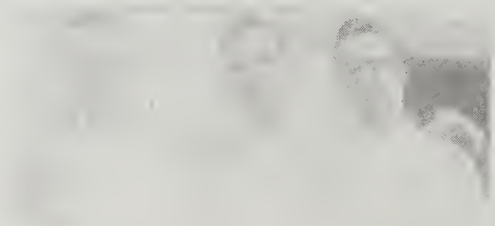
Justa standing and alooking



Holdin' nothing.

Little--------Ballerinas

Them suckers really get me.



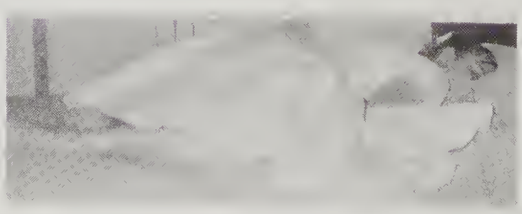
Three stooges!!!

The sun

is shining.

Glamour girls.

Dive in.

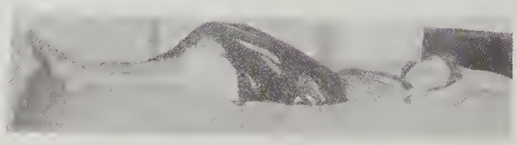


Sleeping beauty.

Big leagues.

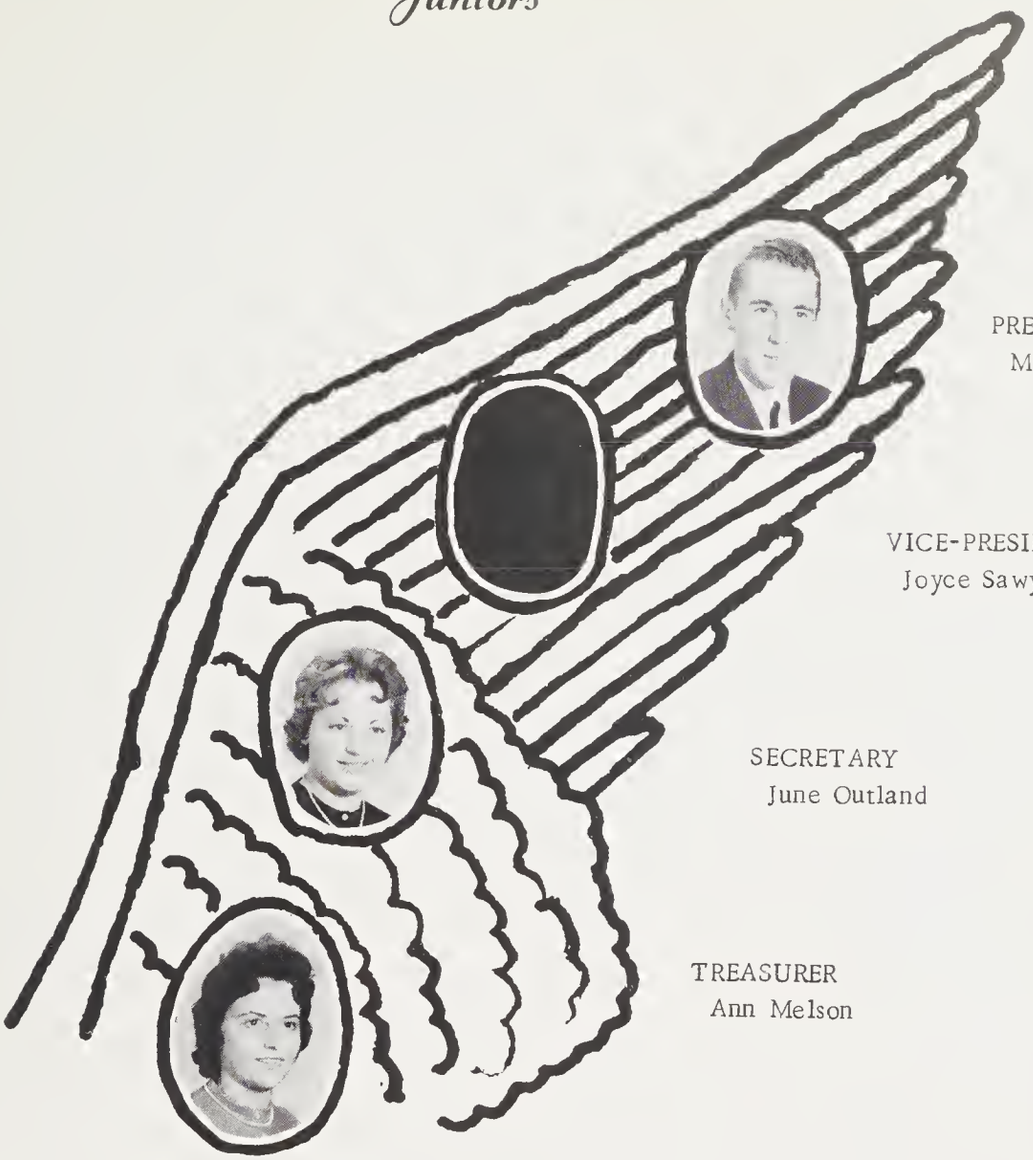
Movie star.

Legs!



Real soft bed.

Juniors



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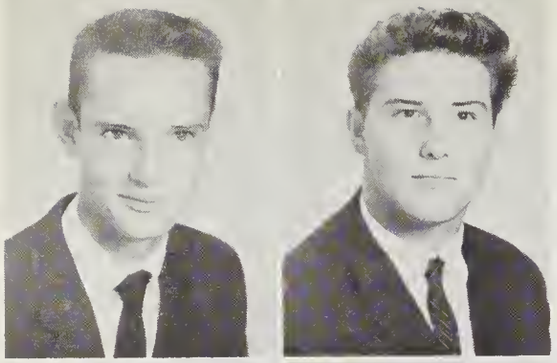

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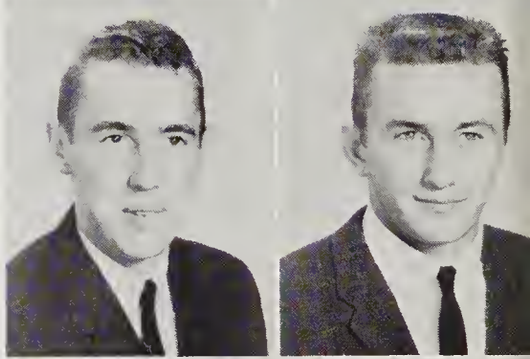

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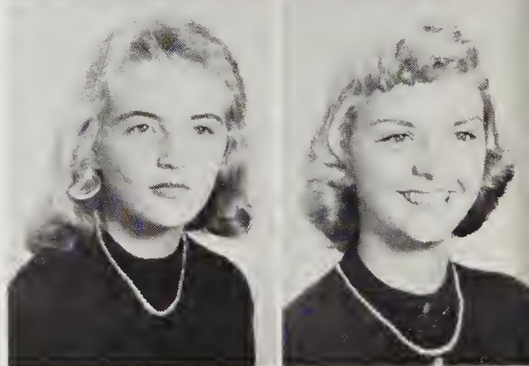

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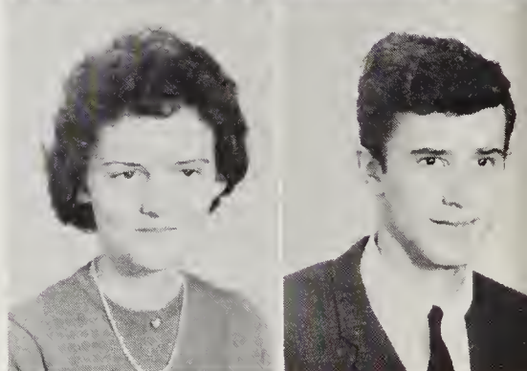

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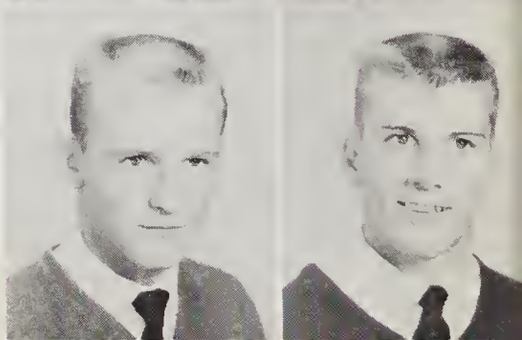

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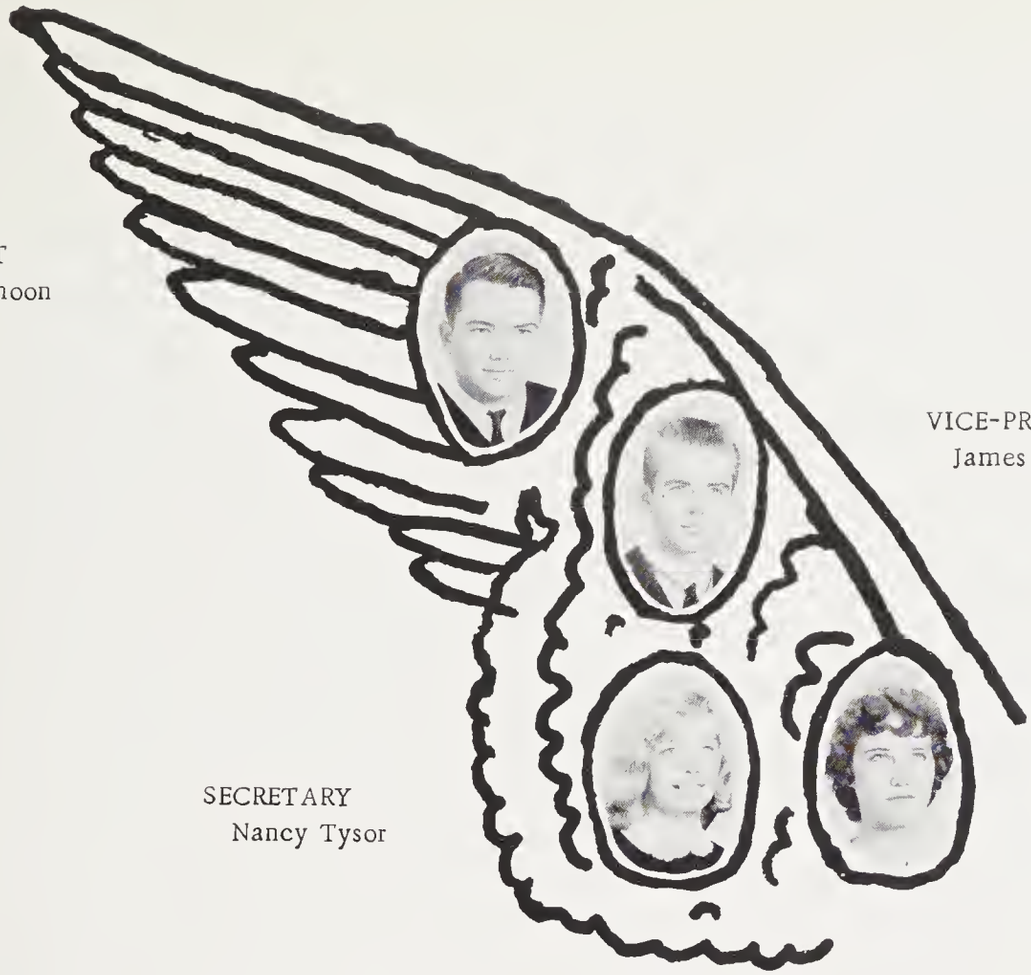

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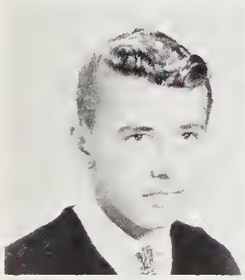

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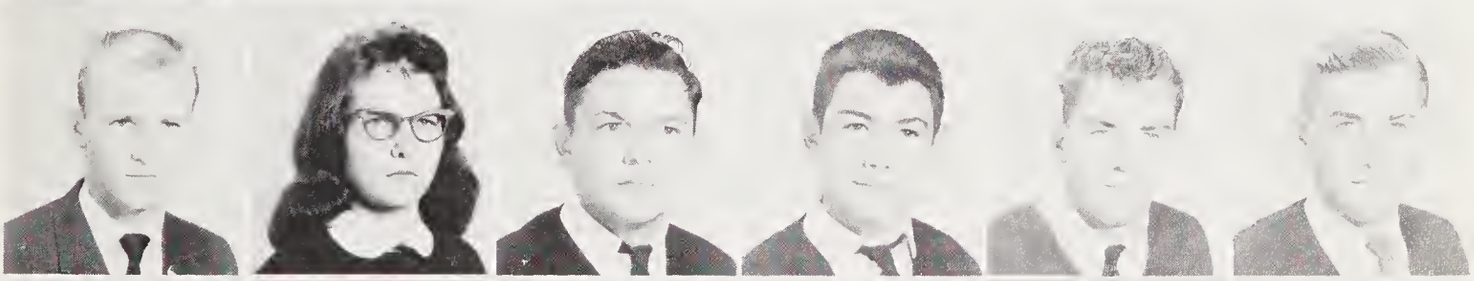

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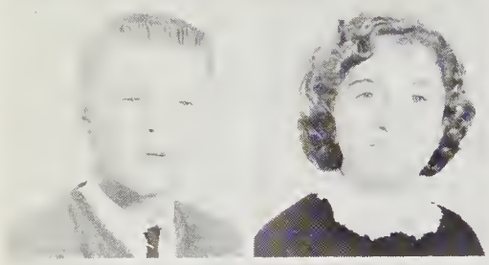

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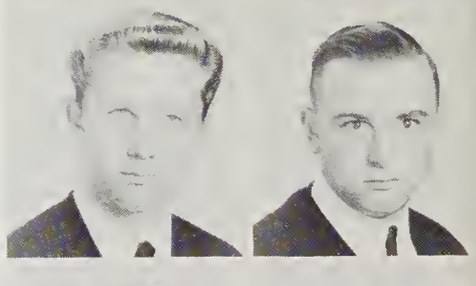

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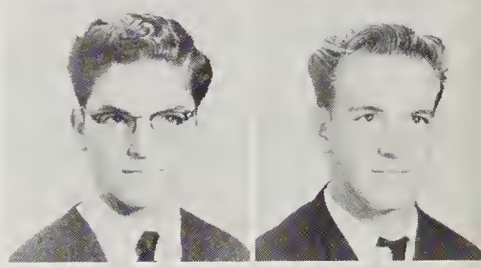

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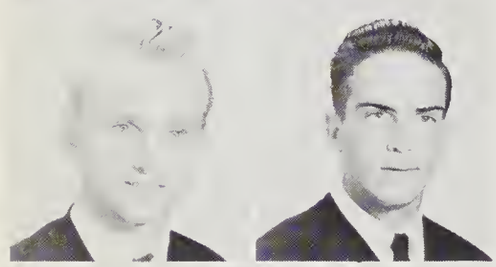

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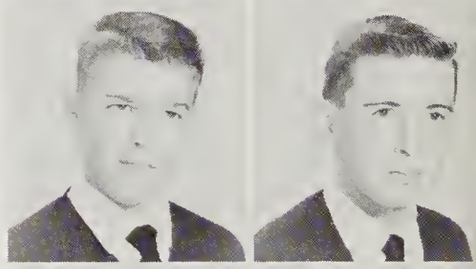

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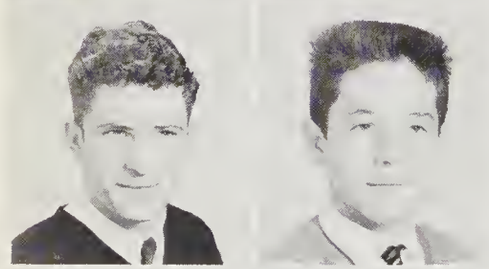

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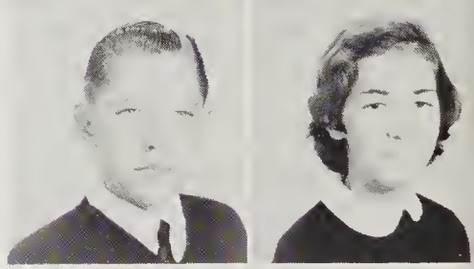

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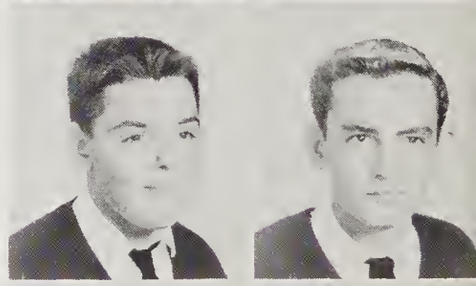

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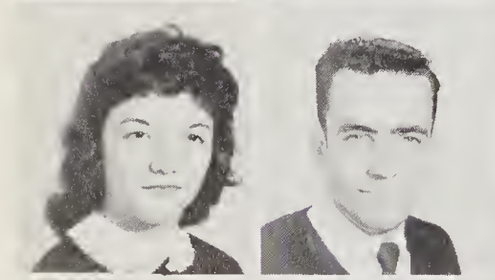

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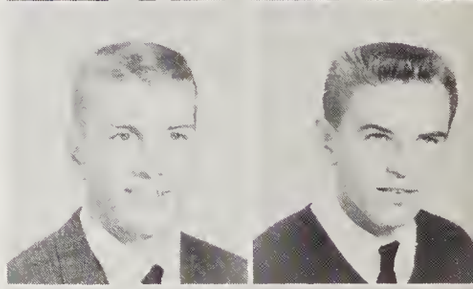

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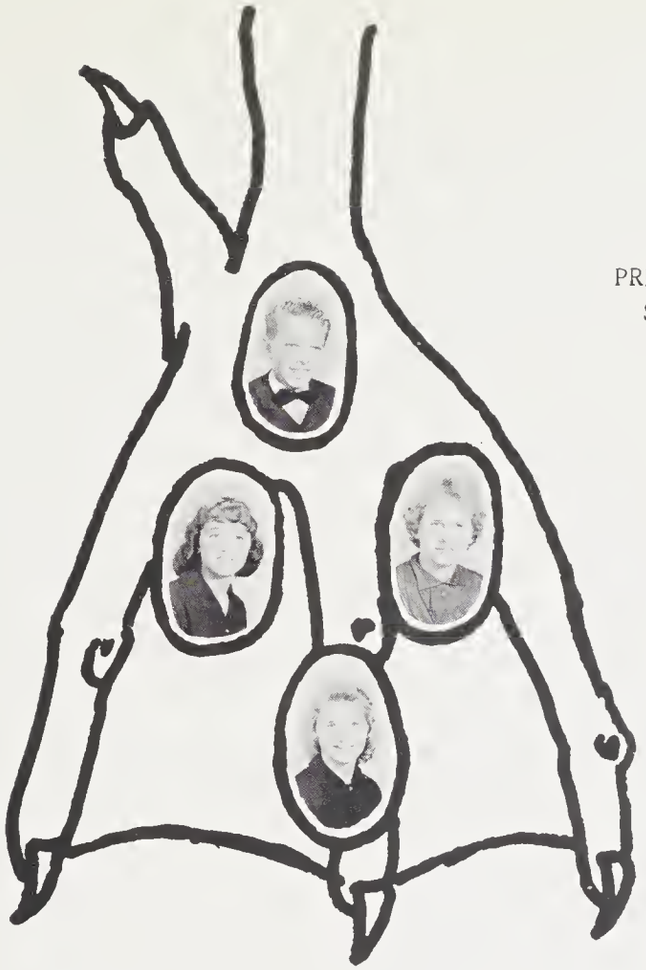

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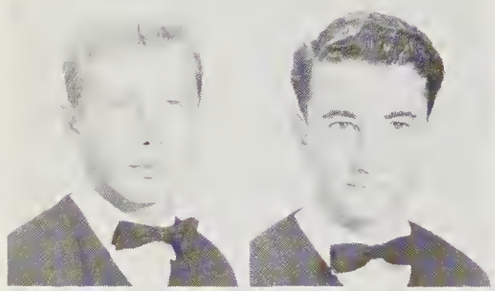

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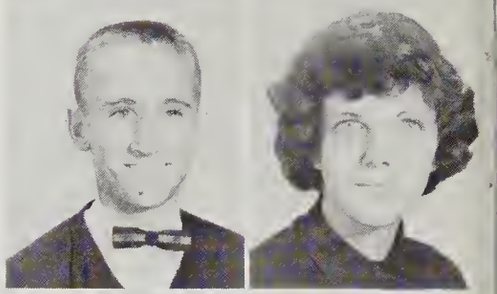

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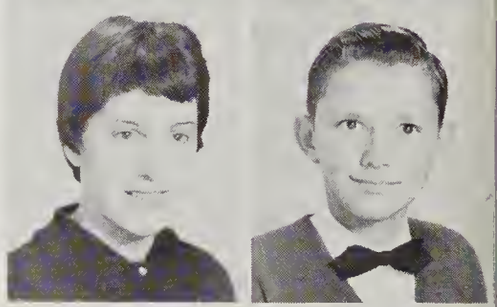

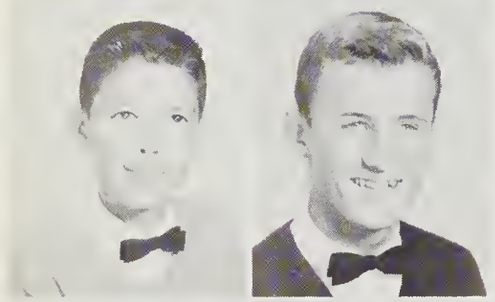

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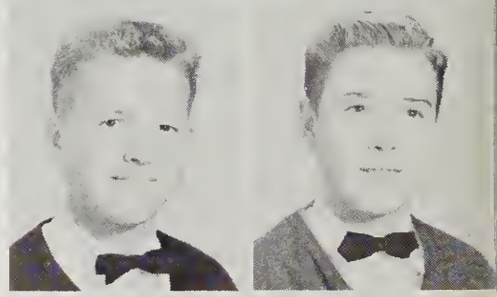

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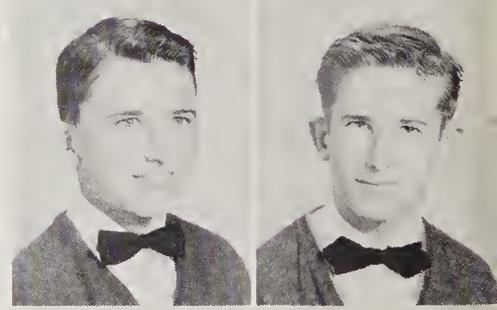

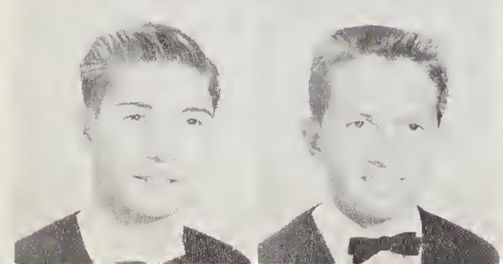

St. Clair Sutton
Billy Tate

John Wright
Charlene Younts

ELEMENTARY

Like the sun in the east when 'tis rising - - -

Eighth Grade

Travis Twiford
Alice Sawyer
Paula Wright
Beth Austin
Edith Baum
Loretta Brickhouse
Danna Menzaco
Linda Morse
Finley Newbern
Roy Twiddy
Carol Sawyer
Joseph White

Lowell Wood
Ray Brickhouse
Barbara Bunch
Ellen Doughtie
Beverly Dowdy
Fey Dozier
Janice Guard
Tommy Grandy
Joanne Guard
Mike Goodwin
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Louis Marriner
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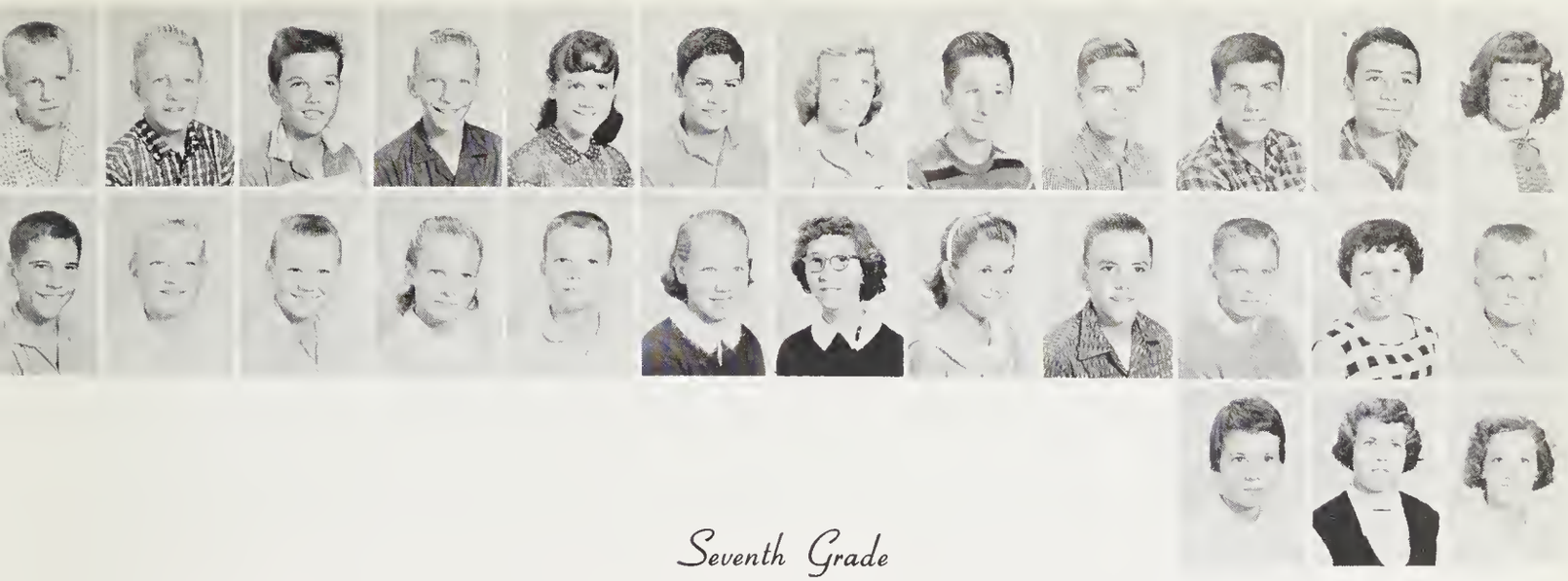
Kenneth Wynne



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Terry Waterfield
Sidney Wright, Jr.
Cecil Fodrie
Gloria Wynne
Alford Butler
Diana Snowden
Ray Harris
Joe Simons, Jr.

Gilbert Brickhouse
Gordon Porter
Dora Melson
Joe Dzwonek
Samuel Walker, Jr.
John Bratten
Jane Bunch
Charles Dozier
Gloria Bateman

Sandra Merrell
Jean Outland
Dave Dowdy, Jr.
Walton Carter
Toby Owens
Lindler Newbern
Grace Shannon
Phyllis Forbers
Slyvia Douglas

Seventh Grade

Doree Melson
Richard Wright
Jimmy Wright
Elmer Sutton
Roy Sawyer, Jr.
Richard Matthews
Billy Mattews

Jimmy Malco
Roger Hill
Clinton Grandy
Bobby Gibbs
Ann Twiford
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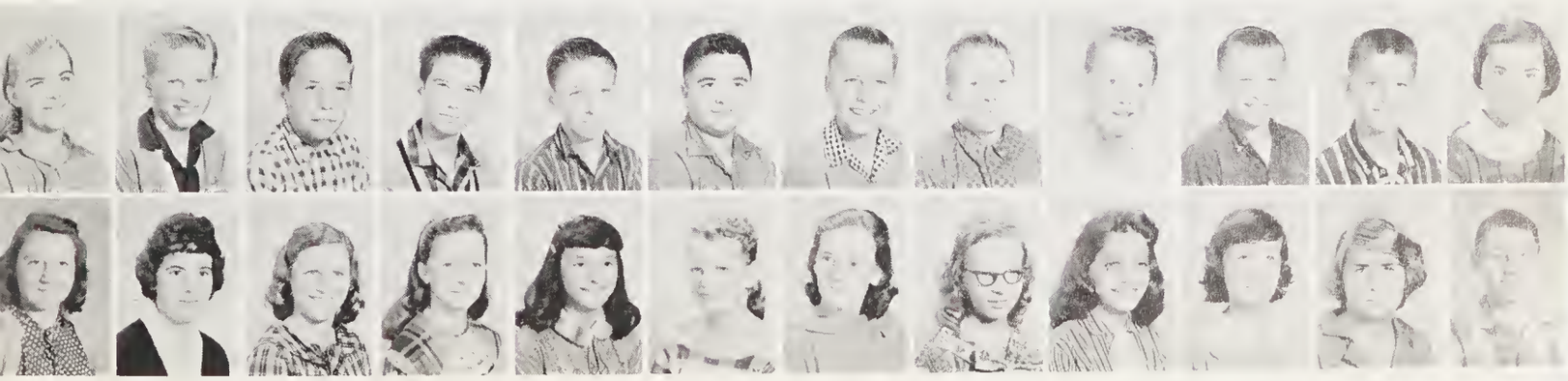
Patsy Hughes
Alice Dunton



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J. M. Lewis
Eddie Younts
Randy Barnard
David Wheatley
Don McMillan
Gayle Curles

Mattie Beasley
Allie Flattum
Lynda Melson
Brenda Sawyer
Diana Newbern
Linda Everett
Paulette Freeman
Jane Griggs

Diane Lewis
Linda Morse
Carolyn Grandy
Buddy Bunch
Jimmy Jarrell
Charles Wheatley
Donald Freeman
Bobby Vance

Eddie Mathews
Bobby Vance
James Guard
Dennis Twiford
Wayne Poyner
Jimmy Market
Bradley Hufton
Hugh Sasnett
Donnie Belangia
H. D. Newbern
Lee Hassell

Fifth Grade

Linda O'Neal
Joan Gallop
Sue Williams
Jerry Mathews
Randy Austin
Billy Bunch
Rodney Beasley
Cecil Gibbs
Woody Owens

Jerry Wright
Wade Nottingham
Mike Hepler
Earl Shannon
Glenn Beasley
Garey Twiddy
Lynn Midgett
Larry Hughes
Earl Simons

Terry Curles
Buddy Douglas
Tony Outland
Ben Bateman
Jackie Younts
Jerry Younts
Alice Butts
Joy Sawyer
Becky Newbern

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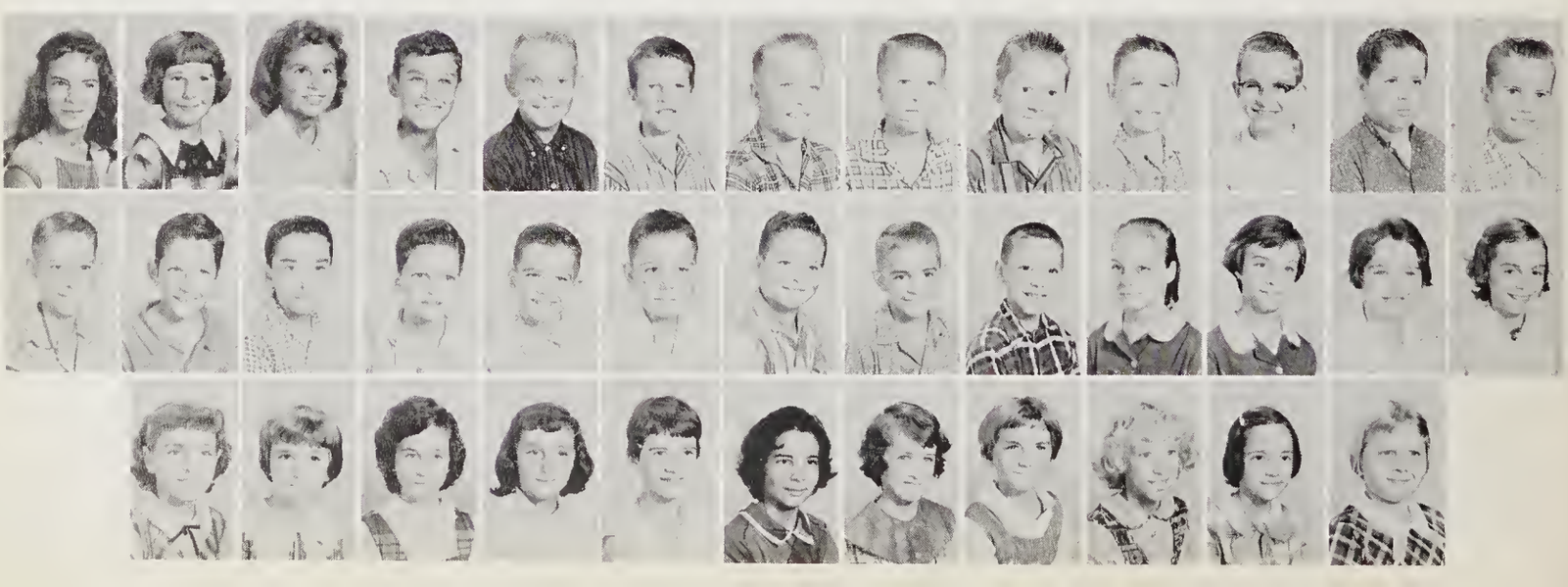
Patricia Baker
Judy Corbell
Jessie Market



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Sherry Brown
Linda Sutton
Joann Ballance
Patricia Huneke
Marilyn Merrill
Sandra Parker
Debbie Marriner

Maria Jordan
Carolyn Wood
Libby Twiford
Linda Harris
Mary Doughtie
Kathleen Agate
Adora Pitcher
Larry Beasley

Paul Leary
Warren Leary
Wayne Garrington
Steve Newbern
Tommy Newbern
Douglas Bateman
Lannie Belangia
Thurman Sears

Johnny Hawkins
Gene Biggs
Ernest Munden
Roy Holt, Jr.
Willie Barnard
Carlton Newbern
Dickie Everett
Ronnie Dowdy

Third Grade

Linda Pinner
Bonnie Owens
Hester Dowdy
Becky Woodhouse
Sandra Brickhouse
Shirley Hassell
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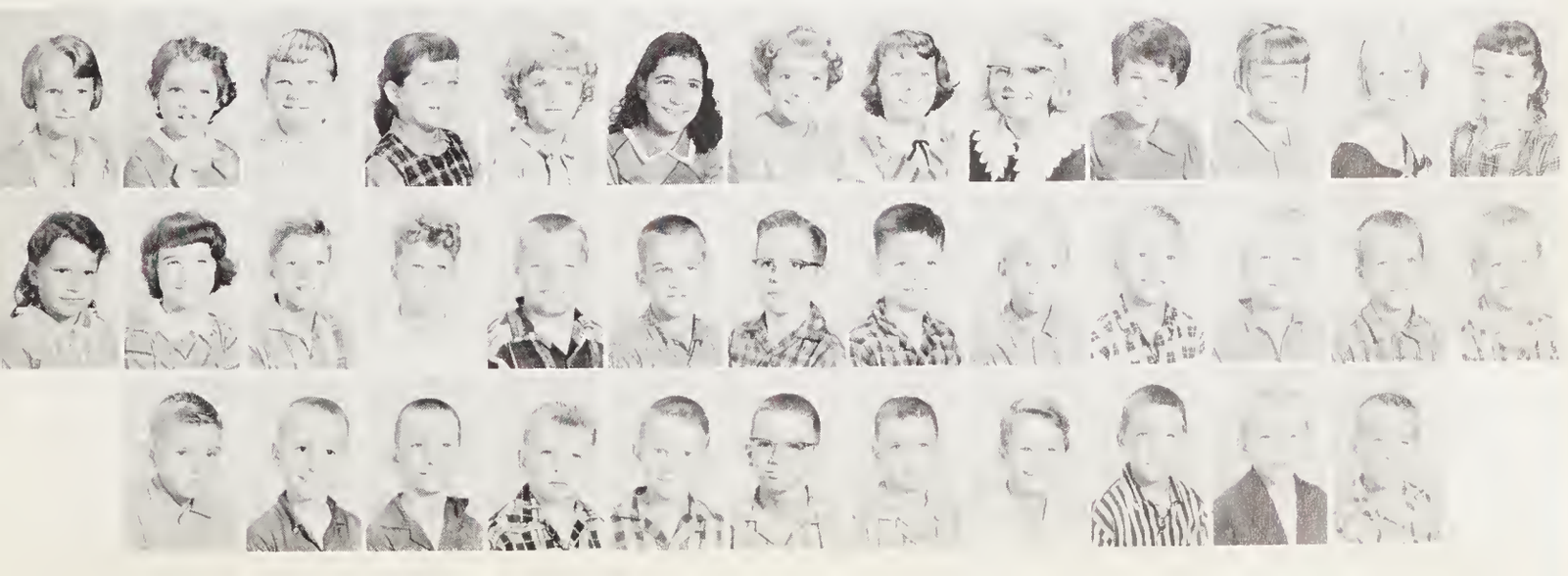

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Bill Wright
June Dunton
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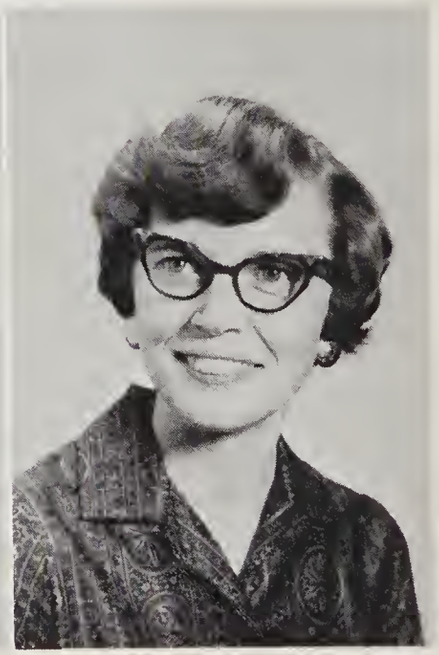


Mrs. Alta Woodard

Sports

"A new day is dawning for thee".

FIRST ROW; John Cahoon, Raymond Worley, Ferrell Hudson, Fred Casiano, George McLean, Benny Gibbs, Richard Dowdy, Fred Hampton. SECOND ROW: Richard Fodrie, Jibbie Doughtie, J. W. Saunders, Darryl Flattum, John McLean, Horace Jordan, Sammy Smith. THIRD ROW: John Sawyer, Sam Chappell, Murray Lane, Arthur Harris, Charles Dozier, Aubrey Banks, Bill Newbern, Joe Twiddy.

Coach Wilkerson chats with co-captains, Fred Casiano and George McLean.

SENIOR PLAYERS

Sam Chappell, Full-Back; Raymond Worley, Guard; Bill Newbern, Half-Back; Fred Casiano, Half-Back.

A good sportsman

--always gives the other fellow a chance; believes in fair play;

--always does his part in every game, even if he can't be first;

--always finishes what he starts, even if the going gets rough;

--always admits when he is in the wrong and apologizes willingly;

--always faces disappointment courageously and tries harder next time;

--always seeks to benefit from criticism;

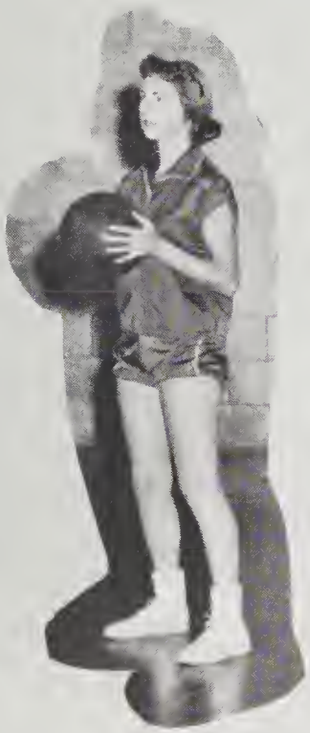
--always does his part, whether it is large or small;

--always does what he has promised and can be depended upon anywhere, anytime.

Margaret Newbern, Rosemary Riddick, Doris Owens, Charlene Younts, Nickie O'Neal, Julia Forbes, Janet Dunton, Alma Sawyer, Penelope Saunders, Barbara Barco, Margaret Grandy, Elsie Griggs, Kay Merrell, Katinia Hempton, Linda Porter, Carol Owens, Sarah Newbern, Jo Ann Forbes. NOT PICTURED: Fannie Newbern.

Co-captains Janet Dunton and Elsie Griggs enjoy a laugh with Coach Wilkerson.

Senior Players



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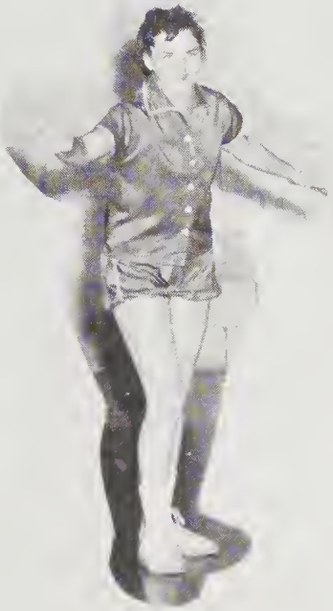

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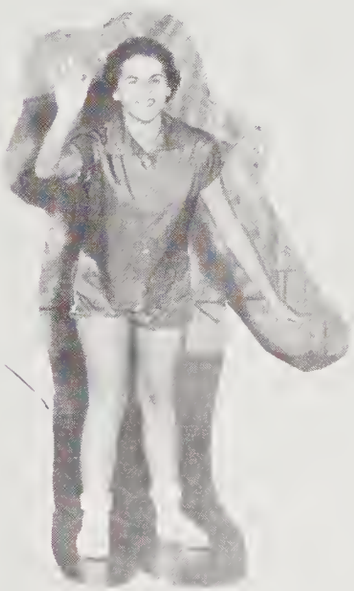
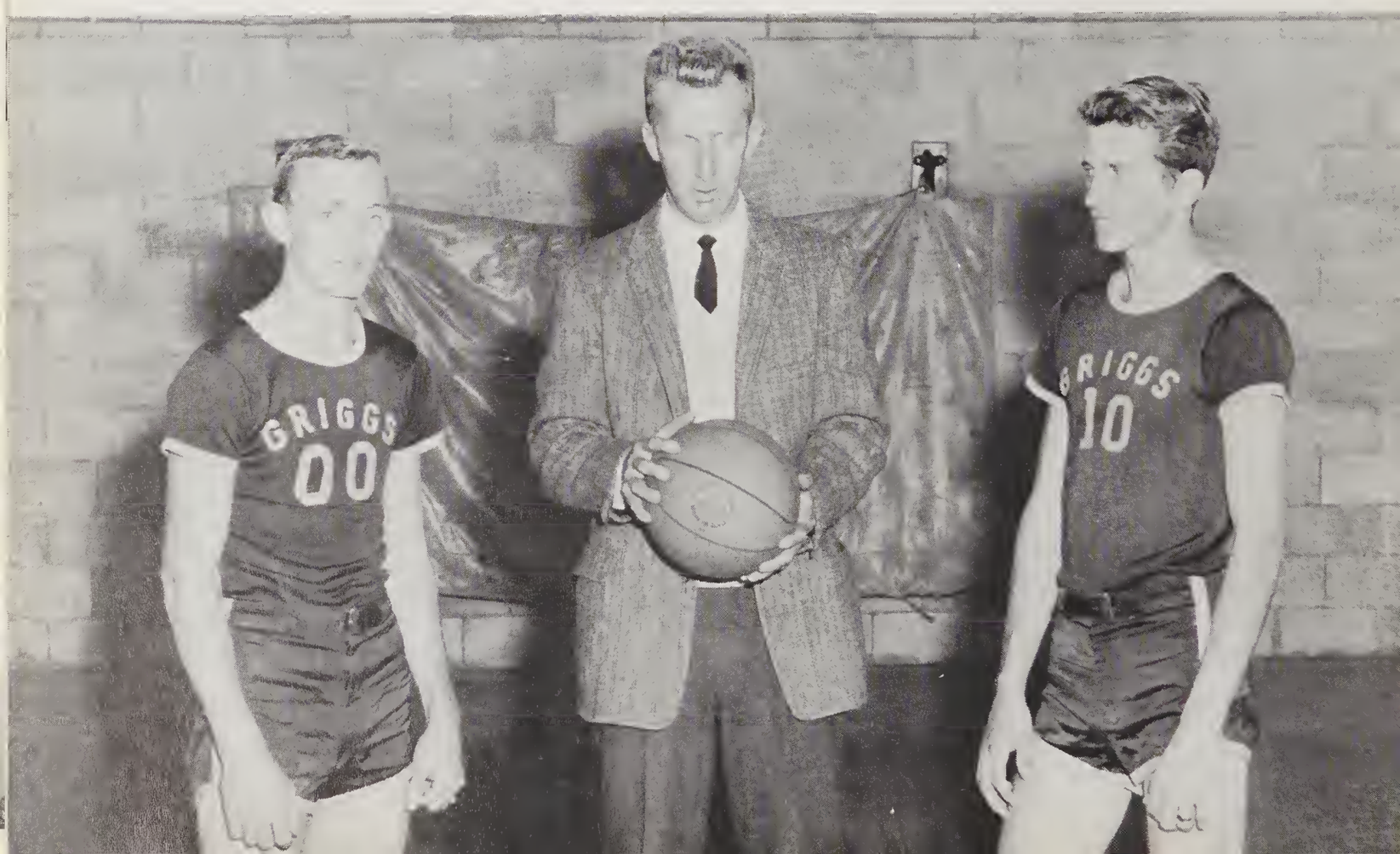


Janet Dunton

Alma Sawyer

BACK ROW: John Cahoon, Richard Dunton, Jimmy Jones, Benny Gibbs, John McLean, Gary Austin, Charles Griggs, George McLean, Sonny Pyatt, Bill Newbern, Jibbie Doughtie, Foster Spruill, Nathan Caroon, J. W. Saunders, John Douglas, Aubrey Banks. FRONT ROW: Sam Chappell, Fred Hampton, Charles Dozier, Darryll Flattum, Billy Tate, Murray Lane, Wayne Merrell, Marvin Fulcher, Tommy Butler. NOT PICTURED: Raymond Worley, Fred Casiano, James Lane, Sammy Smith, Tommy Caroon.

Co-captains, Bill Newbern and Foster Spruill, with Coach Wilkerson.



Senior Players

Richard Dunton

Fred Casiano

Bill Newbern

Foster Spruill

Nathan Caroon

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"Watch, I'm the coach!"
Mr. Wilkerson

SENIOR PLAYERS

Richard Dunton, Second Base; Bill Newbern, Outfield; Foster Spruill, Short-Stop.

GOOD MANNERS ARE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP

"Think of the other fellow first" is a rule a good sportsman follows. Good manners are consideration for the other person! "Please," "May," "Thank you," "Excuse me," are magic passwords for getting along with others. Good manners are rules for living with other people so that they will like you!

Getting along with other people is a skill you have to practice just like any other skill you want to learn. And--there's always room for improvement!

Good sportsmanship is important every hour of the day, everywhere.

Rah, Rah, Rah!

A trophy for the cheerleaders presented to Carole by Mrs. Wilson, who is the cheerleader sponsor.

Cheerleaders: Carole Forbes (Head), Molly Griggs, Kay Gray, Brenda Munden, Iris Barco, June Outland, Pam Bishop, Nancy Tysor. Their uniforms consist of gold sweaters and blue skirts.

Griggs High In Double Decision

POPLAR BRANCH, Dec. 16 Griggs High School took both ends of a double bill from Perquimans here last night, the local girls winning 53 to 38 while the boys came through 37 to 36 in an overtime battle that was marred by a fight at the close of the game.

The Griggs girls led 13-6 at the end of the first quarter, 24-21 at halftime and 40-32 at the end of the third round.

Julie Forbes led the winning attack with 23 points, followed by Tenny Saunders with 17 and Barbara Barco with 12. Peggy Spear topped Perquimans with 20 tallies while Mary Phthisic had 10 and Betty Brown 8.

The boys' battle was hard fought all the way. Griggs led 9-5 at the end of the first round. 15-12 at intermission and 25-18 at the end of the third but Perquimans came back in the fourth to score 14 points to seven for Griggs and tie the score 32-32 at the end of the regular game.

Glenn White had 11 points and Billy Nixon and C. D. White 10 apiece to lead Perquimans. George McLean paced Griggs with 16 points while Sonyy Pyatt was next with 8.

Weeksville Gets Split At Griggs

POPLAR BRANCH, Jan. 6 —Griggs and Weeksville split a Tidewater Conference twin bill here last night, the Weeksville girls winning 46 to 42 while the Griggs boys came through 50 to 45 in two well-played games.

The Weeksville girls led all the way, holding a 12-11 lead at the end of the first quarter, 28-26 at halftime and 39-32 at the end of the third.

Barbara Barco with 20 points and Julie Forbes with 14 led Griggs while Bright dropped in 26 tallies and Barclift 14 for Weeksville.

The Weeksville boys grabbed a 14 to 11 first quarter lead and were ahead 22-20 at halftime but Griggs pulled ahead 38 to 32 at the end of the third round.

George McLean hit the nets for 31 points to pace Griggs while Murray Lane and Sonny Pyatt had 6 apiece. James had 14, Carter 12, Sanders 7 and White and Overman 6 each for Weeksville.

Yellow Jackets Take On Griggs In City Tonight

Elizabeth City High's cage teams face another strong Tidewater Conference foe tonight when Griggs High of Poplar Branch comes to the local gym for a twin bill starting at 7:30 o'clock.

The Yellow Jackets launched their season last Tuesday night when Moyock turned in a 50 to 40 victory in the varsity game and the Moyock jayvees triumphed 35 to 33 after staving off a final quarter threat by the Baby Jackets.

Griggs showed it had plenty of power Friday night when it defeated the Perquimans High Indians 48 to 35 and the Currituck County outfit can be counted on to provide plenty of competition for the Jackets tonight.

Griggs is led by George McLean, one of the finest cage prospects in Eastern Carolina. The ball-handling wizard dropped in 17 points against Perquimans.

The Yellow Jackets showed little during the first half against Moyock last week but they looked considerably better in the final half. Charlie Smith turned in 15 points and Sammy Smith 10 while Monty Ross and L. E. Sawyer added six apiece.

The Jackets' biggest weakness in the opening contest was their play under the backboards. The locals got plenty of shots at the basket but they were reluctant to follow up. Consequently, the Moyock boys controlled the ball most of the night. Coach Bob Brooks said he was hopeful his squad would benefit from its opening mistakes and would make a much better showing tonight.

Griggs Humbles Perquimans High

HERTFORD, Dec. 5—Griggs High School turned back Perquimans in both ends of a twin bill here last night, the girls winning 53 to 30 while the boys came through 48 to 35.

The Griggs girls led 11-7 at the end of the first quarter, 23-16 at half and 39-23 at the end of the third.

Barbara Barco led the Griggs attack with 21 points with Julie Forbes and Elsie Griggs getting 13 each. Phthisic dropped in 14 points for Perquimans, followed by Spear with 9 and Brown 7.

The Griggs boys completely stymied the Indians, leading 11-3 at the end of the first quarter, 28-8 at half and 42-16 at the end of the third.

George McLean was the big gun for the winners, with 17 points while Sonny Pyatt had 8 and Jimmy Doughtie 7. The Nixon brothers had 8 points each and Freddie Colson 6 for Perquimans.

Moyock Girls And Griggs Boys Get Court Victories

POPLAR BRANCH, Dec. 11 —Moyock and Griggs high school cagers divided a double bill here last night, the Moyock girls winning 61 to 51 while the Griggs boys came through 49 to 43.

The Moyock girls led all the way, being ahead 20-5 at the end of the first quarter, 34-19 at halftime and 46-36 at the end of the third round.

Ginger Brumsey led Moyock's attack with a sizzling 45 points. She was followed by Mareay Welch with 12. Julie Forbes paced Griggs with 26 points while Barbara Barco dropped in 21.

The Moyock boys started fast, taking a 14 to 6 first period lead and being ahead 28-20 at intermission but Griggs turned or the steam in the final half to overtake the Tigers. Moyock was still in front 37-35 at the end of the third quarter but Griggs bagged 14 points in the fourth period while holding their opponents to six.

George McLean set the scoring pace for Griggs with 20 points. He was followed by Bill Newbern with 12 and Jebbie Doughtie with 10. For Moyock Martie Booth had 13, Craig Meads 12, Terry Hampton 9 and Jimmy Meiggs 6.

Griggs Captures Pair Of Contests

POPLAR BRANCH, Dec. 4 —Griggs High School turned back Weeksville in both ends of a twin bill, the girls winning 43 to 42 while the boys came through 61 to 40.

The Griggs girls led 16 to 6 at the end of the first quarter but Weeksville was ahead 18-17 at halftime. Griggs won the game in the third by scoring 16 points to 14 for Weeksville. Each team tallied 10 points in the fourth frame.

The Griggs boys led all the way, being in front 22-8 at the end of the first quarter, 41-18 at intermission and 56-26 at the end of the third.

Snapshots

Chalk one up for Fannie.

Points that win the game.

Hurry up, Alma!

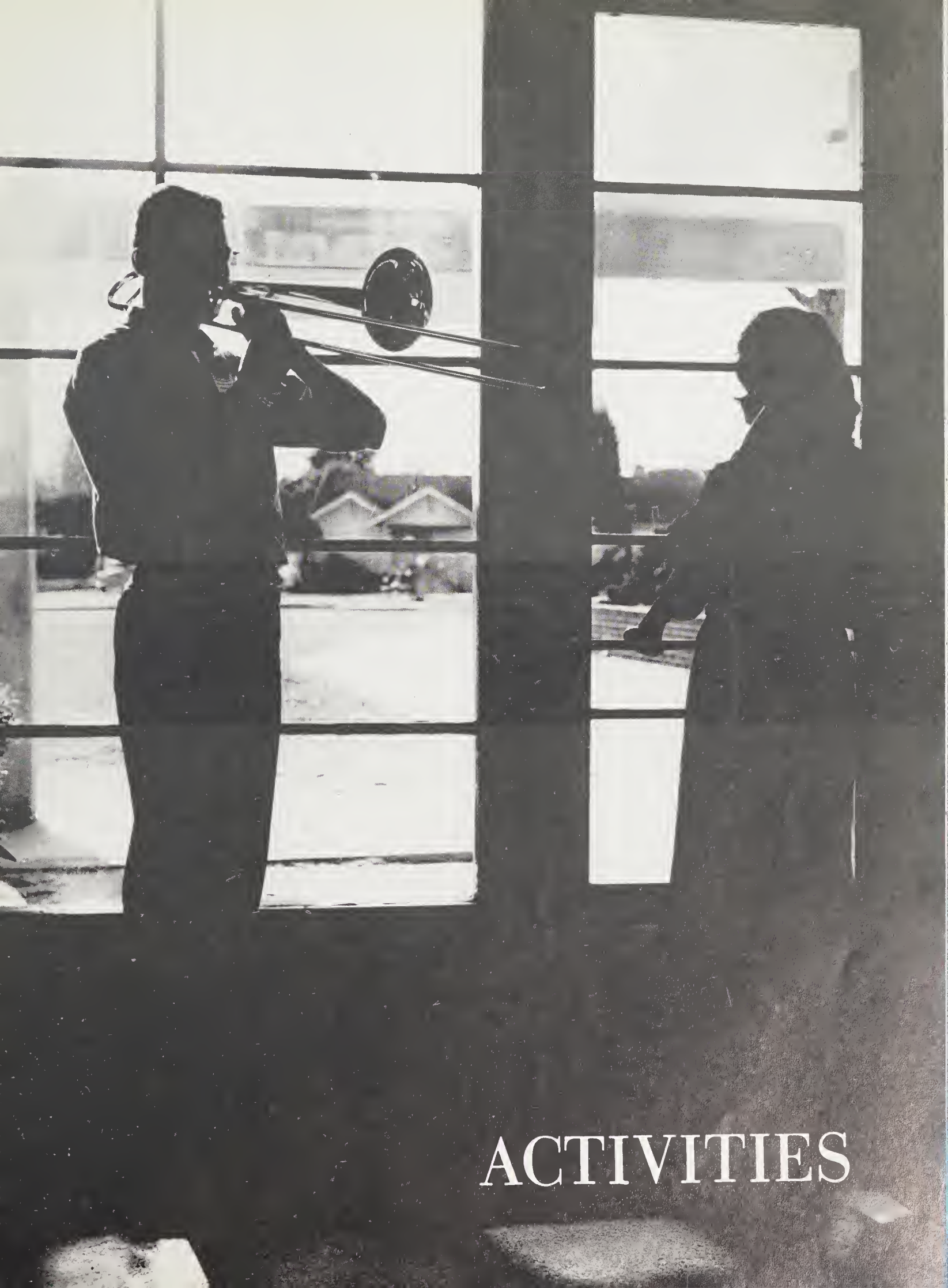
Guard 'em.

Loyal supporters

Nice teamwork
Penny, Barbara, and Julie.

Foster waits for rebound!

Get it, Fred!



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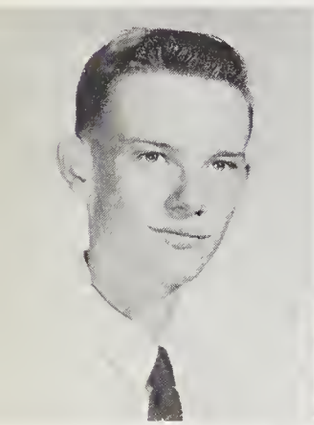

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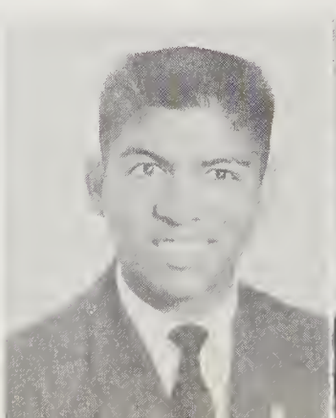

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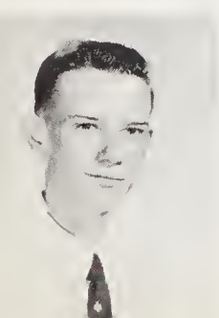

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The ol' gang.

Working in the school store.

Leavin' for the convention.

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Our advisor, Mrs. Wilson

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"Freshman seamstress."

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"Into cold storage."

"Senior Memories."

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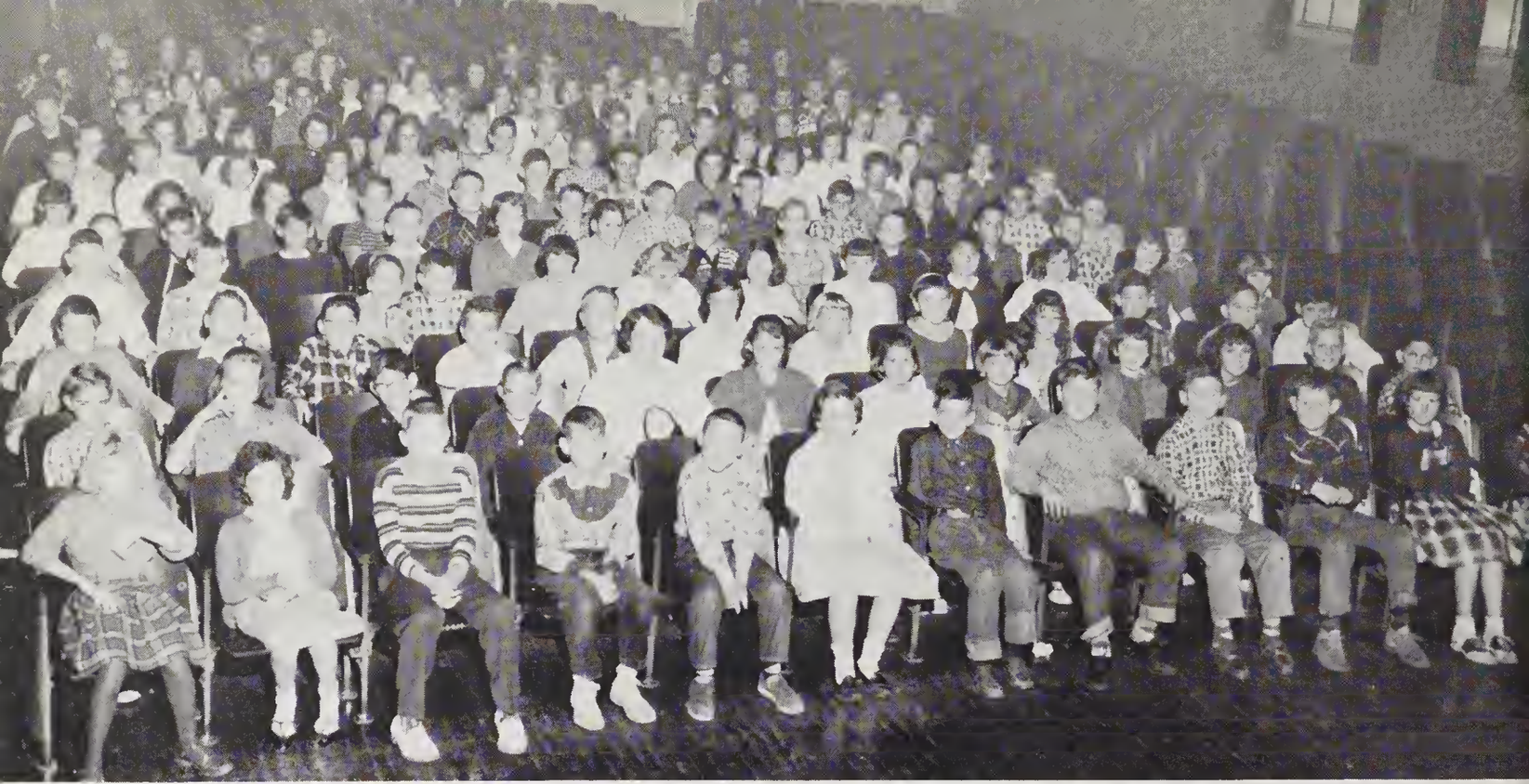

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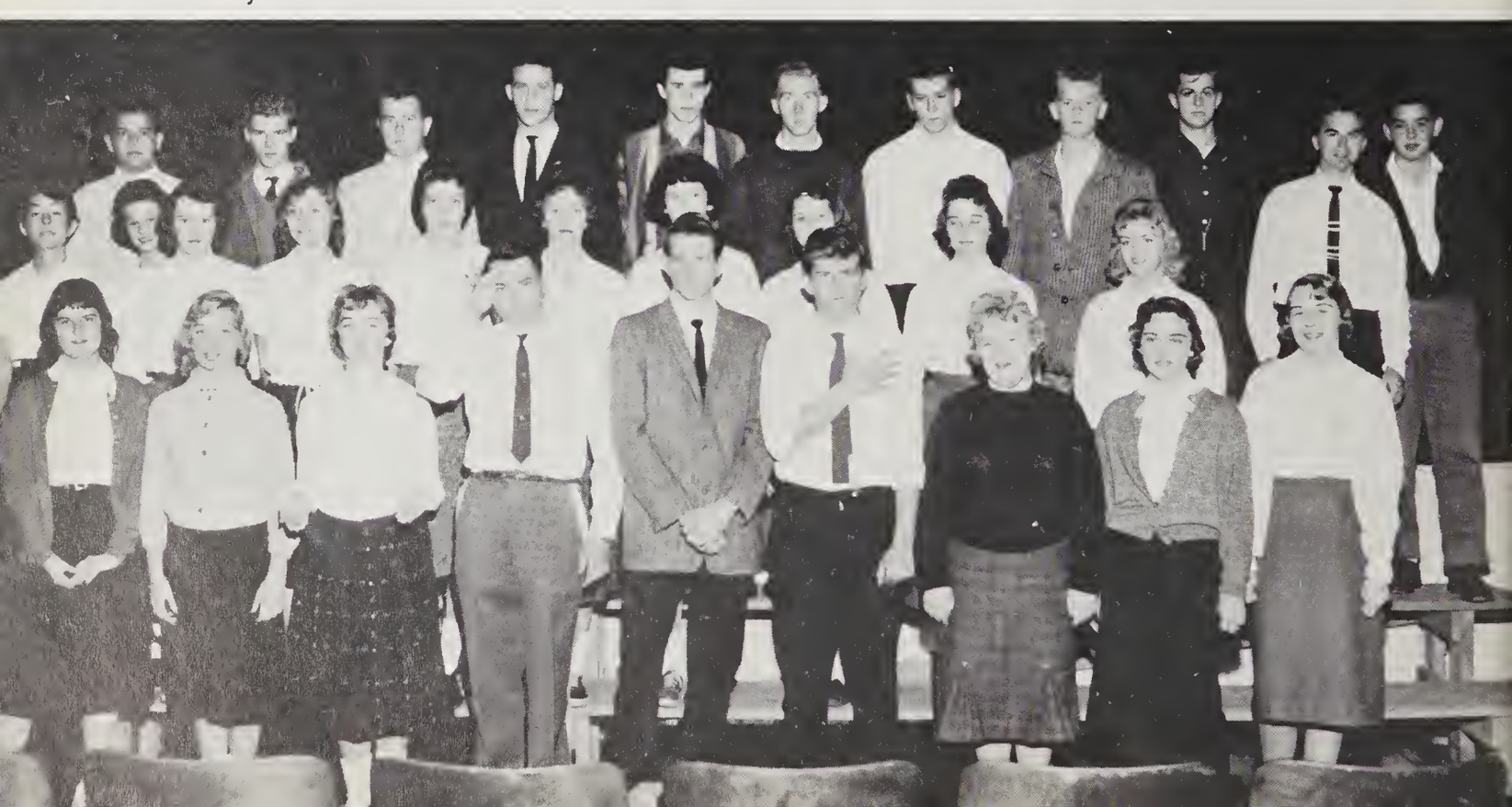

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Jump, George!

Follow it up, Jibbie!

Get it, Sadie!

What are we waiting for?

Pretty shot, Fred.

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